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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Avalanche Office, Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.

Avalanche Job Office, Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.

Allison Brothers, hardware, 270 Front street.

Andrews W. H., grocery and commission merchant, 280 Front street.

Anderson & Gay, grocery and commission merchants, [illegible] Front street.

Ames, Beattie & Jones, furniture dealers, 396 Main street.

Barber & Belcher, attorneys at law, Irving Block, Second street.

Bohlen, Huse & Co, ice dealers 296 Main street.

Bourne & Co., James T., steamboat agents, 12 Jefferson street.

Brown & Jones, coal dealers, 247 Second street.

Cameron & Co., J. A., Finley Churn Dasher, 321 Main street.

Case, C. N. Jr. & Co., dealers in saddles, bridles and harness, 177 Main street.

Clark & Drury commission merchants, 200 Front street.

Cochran, M. E. and J. W., lumber merchants, foot of Washington street.

Crook, G. W. L., insurance agent, 279 Main street.

Clarke & Co., S. M., insurance agents, 18 Madison street.

Cleaves & Co., C. C., booksellers and stationers, 317 Second street.

Carolina Insurance Company, of Memphis, Tenn., office 291 Main street.

Craig & Co., R. G., seed store, 379 Main street, in the Jackson Block.

Cardes & Co., M. C., general auctioneers, 298 Second street.

Chancery Court Room, Wm Smith, Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 355 Second street, third floor.

County Court, Thomas Leonard, Judge; corner Union and Second streets.

Criminal Court Room, Wm. Hunter, Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 355 Second street, third floor.

Common Law Court, G. D. Pierce, Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 355 Second street, second floor.

Circuit Court, George Reeves, Judge; corner Union and Second streets.

Christian Advocate, Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.

Dun & Co., R. G., Mercantile Agency, S. B. Wright, Manager, corner Main and Madison streets.

Dickinson, Williams & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 210 Front street.

DeSoto Insurance and Trust Company, 42 Madison street.

Duff, W. L., attorney at law, 368 Main street.

Denie, John A., dealer in corn, oats, hay, etc, 41 South Court street.

Dalton & Price, book and job printers, 9 Jefferson street.

Evans, D. H., wholesale liquors, 384 Front street.

Eddins, M. E., lumber dealer, opposite Gas Works.

Finley Churn Dasher, 321 Main street.

Flannery, Joseph, plumber and gas pipe fitter, 38 Jefferson street.

Flaherty & Walsh, undertakers, 317 Second street.

Finlay & Keller, attorneys at law, 42 Madison street.

Forster, Kealhofer & Co., grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 309 Main street.

Goodall House, 68 Jefferson street.

Gallaway & Co., M. C., proprietors Avalanche, 22 Jefferson street.

Haynes, Stockton & Hart, attorneys at law, 44 Madison street.

Heiskell, Scott & Heiskell, attorneys at law 20 Madison street.

Hernando Insurance Company, No. 17 Madison street.

Harmstad, Larry, Steamboat Agent, corner Main and Madison streets.

Hampton & Chambers, attorneys at law 42 Madison street.

Hunter Mrs M. C., millinery and dress making, 247 Main street.

Harris, Ellet & Phelan, attorneys at law, 45 Monroe street.

Hays Coal Company, coal dealers, 287 Main street.

Jones Edward C., architect, 279½ Main street.

Kirtland, Pollard & Co., commission merchants and agents for Ramie Plant, 252 Front street.

Kenny & Porter, real estate brokers and general agents, No. 2 Kit Williams Block, corner of Madison and Second.

Keller, Dr. J. M., office 22 Jefferson street, Avalanche Editorial Rooms. Residence at General Hospital.

Knickerbocker Insurance Company, 18 Madison street.

Lehner House, corner Washington and Second streets.

Levett & Co., Joseph S., boot and shoe dealers, corner of Main and Union streets.

Lowenstein & Brothers, B., wholesale and retail dry goods 242 Main street.

Lann & Mallon, plumbers and steam pipe fitters, 204 Main street.

Loewenstine & Brother, J. H., dry goods, Clay Building, 231 Main street.

Levy & Co., A. S., auctioneers, 297 Second street.

Linkhauer & Brother, agents, boot and shoemakers, 281½ Second street.

Levy and Miller, general steamboat agents and forwarders, 6 Madison street.

Memphis City Savings Institution, corner Jefferson and Front streets.

Municipal Court Room, George W. Waldran, Judge; corner Union and Second streets, County Court House.

Memphis and Charleston Railroad. Ticket office, Bethell Block, southeast corner Court and Main streets.

Merchants' National Bank, No. 8 Jefferson street.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, office No. 237 Main street.

McRae & Walker, attorneys at law, Bethel Block.

Merchants' National Bank, 8 Jefferson street.

Moody & Co., John K., grocery and produce, 206 Front street.

Mercantile Agency of R. G. Dun & Co, S B Wright, Manager, corner Main and Madison streets.

Moon & Geoghegan, dealers in agricultural implements, 252 Front street.

Murray & Ridgely, merchant tailor No. 31 Madison street, Memphis, Tenn.

Megibben & Bro., liquor dealers, 281 Main street.

McMahon & Otis, Insurance Agents, corner Madison and Second streets.

Montgomery & Co, J. E., Steamboat Agents, foot of Jefferson street.

Menken Brothers, staple and fancy dry goods, 262 Main street.

Memphis and Louisville Railroad, office 237½ Main street.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company, Flem Calvert, Superintendent.

New Memphis Theater, W. C. Thompson, manager, Jefferson street, below Third.

Peyton, J. T., attorney at law, Lee Block, 15 Union street.

Power & McGeoy, merchant tailors, 238 Second street.

Packer, H. B., coal dealer, 233 Main street.

Powell & Co., F., advertising agents, 51 Union street.

Pattison & Co., George, dealers in books and stationery, 317½ Main street.

Perdue, M., millinery and dress making, 237½ Main street.

Passmore & Co., W. H., General Auctioneers, Vincent Block, Second street.

Postoffice, corner of Third and Jefferson streets, R. C. Gist, Postmaster.

Price & Treadwell, wholesale grocers, Lee Block, Union street.

Robeson, Sneed & Co., fashionable clothiers, 261 Main street.

Randolph, S. W., attorney at law, corner Monroe and Second streets.

Royster, Trezevant & Co., Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers, Ayres Block, Second street.

Southern Farmer, office 27 Court street.

Sturdivant & Co, C. W., grocery and commission merchants, 182 Front street.

Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, [illegible] Madison street.

Stoddard & Co., A. M., auctioneers, 330 Second street.

Scruggs, P. T. and E. R., attorneys at law, 53 Union street.

St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Otis, agents; office, 42 Madison street.

Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, [illegible] Second street.

Semmes & Co., B. J., importers and dealers in liquors, [illegible] Second street.

Swanwick & Co., W. T., lumber dealers, foot of Adams street.

Smith, Owen, undertaker, 366 northeast corner Gayoso and Second streets.

Telegraph Office, 27 South Court street.

Terry & Mitchell, wholesale boots and shoes, 329 Main street.

Titus & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 10 Jefferson street.

United States Insurance Company, 279 Main street.

United States Court, C. F. Trigg, Judge; No. 400 Main street, third floor.

Vinson & Donohue, steamboat agents, 224 Front street, up stairs.

Varieties Theater, corner Washington and Main streets.

Ward & Co, R. D., seed dealers, 282 Main street.

Walt & Co M., steamboat agents, 270 Front street.

Wright & McKissick, attorneys at law, Kit Williams Block, corner Madison and Second streets.

Yerger & Sale, attorneys at law, Library Building, Third street, near Jefferson.

Zwelfel, Dom, lager beer depot, 34½ Adams street.

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

The White Man's Platform.

I hold that this Government was made on the white basis, by white men, for the benefit of white men and their posterity forever, and should be administered by white men, and none others. I do not believe that the Almighty made the negro capable of self government.—*Stephen A. Douglas.*

Hear President LINCOLN in reply:

I AM NOT, NOR EVER HAVE BEEN, IN FAVOR OF MAKING VOTERS OR JURORS OF NEGROES nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor intermarrying them with white people, and I will say in addition to this that there is a PHYSICAL DIFFERENCE between the white and black race, which, I believe, *will forever forbid the two races living together on terms of social and political equality*—and, inasmuch as they cannot so live, while they do remain together, there must be a position of superior and inferior, and I, as much as any other man, am in favor of having the SUPERIOR POSITION ASSIGNED TO THE WHITE RACE.

Two years before the death of DANIEL WEBSTER he said:

"IF THESE IMPERTINENT *Fanatics and Abolitionists ever get the power into their own hands, they will override the Constitution, set the Supreme Court at defiance change and make Laws to suit themselves, lay violent hands on those who differ with them in opinion or dare question their fidelity; and finally, bankrupt the country and deluge it with blood."*

On September 2, 1843, twenty-five years ago, HENRY CLAY said:

The agitation of the question in the free States will first destroy all harmony, and finally lead to disunion—perpetual war—the extinction of the African race—ultimate military despotism.

But the great aim and object of your tract should be to *arouse the laboring classes of the free States against Abolition.* Depict the *consequences to them of immediate emancipation.* The slaves being free, would be dispersed throughout the Union; *they would enter into competition with the free labor;* with the American, the Irish, the German; *reduce his wages;* be confounded with him, and *affect his moral and social standing.* And as the ultras go both for Abolition and amalgamation, show that their object is to unite in marriage the laboring white man and the laboring black woman, *to reduce the white laboring man to the despised and degraded condition of the black man.*

I would show their opposition to Colonization. Show its humane, religious and patriotic aim. That they are to separate those whom God had separated. Why do the Abolitionists oppose Colonization? To keep and amalgamate together the two races, in violation of God's will, and to keep the blacks here that they may interfere with, degrade and debase the laboring whites. Show that the British Government is co-operating with the Abolitionists, for the purpose of dissolving the Union, etc. You can make a powerful article, that will be felt in every extremity of the Union. I am perfectly satisfied it will do great good. Let me hear from you on this subject.

The army worm has appeared in great force in Texas.

Two young Ohioans came to grief the other day, while attempting to climb a lightning rod into a young ladies' seminary.

Prentice speaks of Ben Wade as having his cheeks distended with oaths, like a squirrel's with a hickory nut.

It is computed that there is from fifty to one hundred per cent. more wheat sown than ever in Iowa, that oats are also in larger proportion, and that both promise most abundant harvests.

A heavy storm passed over Nashville Monday night. A portion of the roof of Masonic Temple, on Churchstreet, was blown off, and part of S. B. Spurlock's grocery house, Broadway, shared a similar fate. The damage to the property of Mr. Spurlock was about $2500.

A theological gentleman, who always gave authority for his quotations, commenced grace at breakfast one morning by thanking the Lord that "we have been awakened from the sleep which a writer in the Edinburg *Review* has called the 'image of death.'"

A new thermometer which is not affected by radiation, consists of a copper tube surrounding another tube, which is open at the top, and having a hinged bottom; in the smaller tube is suspended a fine wire in a spiral form, suspended by a silk thread, upon which is a small mirror. When the bottom is closed, the mirror stands at 0 degree, but when open, the air inside being usually warmer than the outside atmosphere, a current is established twisting the silk. One degree Fahrenheit causes a complete turn of the mirror. The cause assigned by the author for this elevation of temperature inside the copper tube is, that the copper absorbs light and heat from the atmosphere, and causes an internal radiation.

SCOTTSBORO, ALA.

The State of Jackson—Profitable Gardening—How to Make Money by Judicious Farming—Inviting Country to Agriculturists.

Special Correspondence Memphis Avalanche.]

SCOTTSBORO, ALA., May 30, 1868.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: I am rusticating in this most delightful portion of North Alabama, and enjoying the free surroundings with wonderful zest.—I think that in return for the extraordinary services that the people rendered to the so-called, that this (Jackson) county should be invested with all the rights and appliances of a separate State sovereignty, for there are more dead Yanks in it than any other I know of, apart from battlefields and hospital grounds. Latterly the people of this section have received a great impetus to their agricultural development by the infusion of a new element of industrial interest. The land in the valley is of surpassing richness and fertility, and is constantly being refreshed by washings from the hillsides, and to turn this resource into advantageous gardening is the prevailing idea of the people hereabouts.

The first profitable investment of the kind was started by Messrs. Venable & Willard of the Huntsville Hotel. These parties secured an old farm near this depot, and within four months time have improved it from a barren, fenceless waste into a beautiful, rich and well enclosed, productive farm, with good barns, model chicken houses, and all the outhouses necessary to the successful cultivation as a farm and garden for the place. There are eight acres of garden, the produce of which, up to the present time, has paid for every outlay and expense that has been incurred. The grounds are in a fine condition of cultivation, and promise the most luxuriant vegetable growth. I really have not seen any gardens since I left New Orleans that compare with this successful enterprise. New potatoes, that sell readily at four dollars per bushel; peas, beans, cabbage, radishes, and immense cucumbers, are growing here in abundance, and from the store the luxurious and sumptuous tables of the hotel are bountifully supplied.

Beside the remunerative products of the garden, there are six acres of ground peas growing in a most luxuriant manner, and promising large results. This crop alone will pay the entire expense of the farm this year. The general variety of farm produce, that diversifies the surface has been selected with a view to easy farming and adaptability of a small amount of labor to the seasons, and to secure the greatest amount of valuable returns. As a guide to your readers in following the example of this successful farm, they will be pleased to note the following items: The farm contains one hundred and fifty acres of diversified land, and on it are regularly employed five field hands. The garden has eight acres of every variety of garden and vine material, and employs two workmen. There are fifty acres of splendid land, well timbered with oaks, immense poplars, red gum, hickory, etc., which, if used, will pay the entire original cost of the place. There are five acres of growing hops in a good locality, five of sweet potatoes, ten of oats, four of melons, and the rest in corn, squashes and other farm produce. The original cost of the place, five months ago, was two thousand dollars. Then it was without fences and barn, and was a hard packed body of earth that had been used during the war as a drill and camp ground. Mr. Venable had the earth broken and pulverized to the depth of ten inches, and has worked it without manures or fertilizers. To-day the crop is better than that of any other farm in North Alabama. The appertenances are good and substantial, and the value of the farm has been increased three-fold beyond its entire cost, and the proprietors are loth to sell at even this increasing price. So you will readily perceive how valuable it is reckoned, and really is. The example of these gentlemen has stimulated a vast amount of energy and labor in the same direction, and the effect is daily seen in the increasing enterprise of the people in the vicinity. A handsomely printed, paying newspaper, *The Herald*, is printed here, and it is a lively sheet and popular, so it has a good prospect of continuing to flourish.

This entire section of North Alabama requires this sort of enterprise to develop its material interests. The land is fertile and exceedingly rich; the access to markets is unrivalled; water, for power or stock, is abundant; the richest returns are made to the farmer in wheat, corn, oats and every other cereal, and the salubrity of the climate cannot be surpassed. With all these advantages and proximity to such good centers of trade and markets like Memphis, Nashville and other important cities, there is offered every possible inducement to incite and improve the vast and incomparable advantages of this thrice blessed region of the beautiful earth. There are few places in the South that are more favored with natural advantages of all characters than this fertile section. The beautiful city of Huntsville must become an important centre for all manner of industrial interests, for it is the great center of a country which will soon become noted for its wheat, flour mills and manufactures of various kinds, and thus will furnish a depot of great value to the innumerable farmers, who will henceforth develop the vast agricultural resources of this country. As these interests represent the special advantages of this favored section, and as it is only in our material improvement that we can hope for future prosperity and comfort, so I record successful agricultural experiments with more pleasure than any other item of news I find whilst on my tour. At the present time these people complain of wanting for money, and all the improvements they are operating are on the smallest amount of capital, but the remunerative earth will bring them money and plenty in the autumn, and then many projected interests will be liberally fostered and operated.

I hope that West Tennessee and the vicinity of Memphis will take seriously into consideration the advantages suggested by this record of small and successful farming, and especially note that it is attracting a fine and valuable set of immigants and citizens from the most intelligent farming localities of the North.

Crops of all kinds look well along the entire route from Memphis to Stevenson. The rains have thus far been vastly advantageous, and the intensely hot days of the present are exceedingly beneficial to every kind of vegetation.

Visitors are flocking to Huntsville and vicinity, and the resort will doubtless be very attractive in every respect during the heated term.

COUSIN NOURMA.

BY TELEGRAPH.

WEDNESDAY NOON DISPATCHES

NEW YORK, June 3.—The annual examination of the military cadets at West Point commenced yesterday, the corps passing in review before the board of visitors. The graduating class this year is somewhat smaller than that of last year.

The corps of naval cadets from Annapolis will attend the examination, near its close, in their own vessel.

George Washington, a negro boy only eighteen years of age, was hung for arson in Kingston, N. C., on Friday. He confessed his crime, so says a *Herald* special.

A Washington letter to the *Herald* says that Judge Chase recently expressed himself in unison with the Democratic party on every point except that of universal suffrage, and if he was elected by that party he would carry out their policy faithfully and labor to make the party one of permanent usefulness, but he does not want the Presidency; is not a candidate for the nomination, and would not assume office at a sacrifice of his honest convictions. On the general issues he expressed highly Conservative ideas, favoring material Government aid to the Southern States, a general amnesty, and strongly deprecating the harsh measures of Congress. On the financial questions he favors an early return to specie payments.

A Washington dispatch says Adams, in his testimony yesterday before the managers, denied everything said by Thurlow Weed relative to Adams' part in the alleged bargaining for the votes of Senators.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 4.—The election in Oregon on the 1st instant, resulted in a Democratic triumph. The Democratic Congressmen were elected by one thousand majority. All of the county tickets are Democratic except Marion, which gives a Republican majority of three hundred. Portland City gives twenty-one Democratic majority. The Legislative and county officers are nearly all Democrats. The nomination of Grant and Colfax excites much enthusiasm among the Radicals.

New diggings have been struck between Rouge river and Yolice creek.

Battery F has been ordered to Sitka, from Portland, per steamship Active.

A dispatch from Gold Hill, Nevada, announces the election of the entire Republican ticket, for local officers, by forty to fifty majority.

A dispatch from Washington territory reports earthquakes at several points. The New Mission Church, at Tulalip, was badly shaken.

RICHMOND, June 2.—General Stoneman issued an order on taking command of the First Military District, directing that all orders heretofore issued be strictly observed, and all military and civil officers continue in the performance of their duties.

LEGAL.

Decisions of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, at Brownsville, April Term, '68.

Reported for the Avalanche, by Judge B. R. Heath, of the Memphis Bar, and H. B. Folk, of the Brownsville Bar.]

Isbell *vs.* Farris.

At the regular election, in 1866, Farris was elected Clerk of the County Court of Obion county. Prior thereto, and under a proclamation issued by the Military Governor of Tennessee, in 1864, Isbell was elected to and inducted into that office, and held the same up to and since Farris, election.

Farris applied to be admitted to the office; his admission was opposed by Isbell, who insisted that he was entitled, under the Code, to hold until the end of four years from his election, which four years had not then expired.

The opinion in the case was delivered by Judge Smith and embraces the following points:

First—That the election of officers, under military orders, only authorizes such officers to hold until the next regular election, and time for induction.

Second—That such officers so elected, or appointed by military authority, are entitled to hold their offices only during the war, or until the regular civil government is put in motion.

Third—The power of the Military Governor to authorize such elections, or to appoint such officers, is found in the public law, which authorizes a successful belligerent in a civil war to make use to some extent of the powers exercised by conquerers in international wars.

Fourth—The right of Farris to the possession of this office, as against the incumbent, is secured by the 7th section of the schedule to the amended Constitution.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

GRAND TOURNAMENT
—FOR THE—
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IT is proposed to have a Grand Tournament on the Memphis Association Race Course on WEDNESDAY, 17th of June, for which the following Prizes will be offered:
FIRST PRIZE.
For the most Rings in three rounds of the arena, a Diamond Ring valued at $600.
SECOND PRIZE.
For the next highest number, a Gold Watch valued at $250.
THIRD PRIZE.
For the Best Riding, to be determined by Umpires selected, an elegant Saddle and Bridle, valued at $100.
FOURTH PRIZE.
For the second place in horsemanship, to be determined in same manner, a superb Riding Whip and Spurs, valued at $50.
The Entrance Fee for Knights will be $10 00.
Entrees can be made up to June 10th at Dr. W. N. WILKERSON'S Drug Store, 340 Main street, or with BIGLEY, MELLERSH & CO., corner Main and South Court streets, or with Captain VAN, at office of Bigley, Mellersh & Co.
The Entrance Fee is expected to be paid within a reasonable time after subscribing, to meet the necessary expenses and secure the proper arrangements for the Grand Exhibition.
The whole will be under the direction of the following gentlemen: General J. D. RUFFIN, Colonel W. L. STEWART, Major G. V. RAMBAUT, M. C. PEARCE, Esq., Dr. W. N. WILKERSON, Captain W. H. PASSMORE, Captain GEORGE MELLERSH.
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EDITORIAL

THE PEN IS MIGHTIER THAN THE SWORD.

THURSDAY : : : : JUNE 4, 1868

"DON'T be so *personal*," says a timid, tender-footed snob, who is on the fence, ready to fall on that side which wins in November next. "Don't be so *personal*; you will excite sympathy for the Radicals." Ah, indeed! What decent Southern man, stripped of all his political rights and placed under the rule of negroes, can so degrade himself as to have any "sympathy" for the knaves who have thus outraged him and his friends? What Southern man, with any pride or self-respect, can, under any possible circumstances, "sympathize" with the low as foul birds of prey, and who know that their lease of power depends upon the continued disfranchisement of the best men of our land? Sympathy! Can the man who is robbed have any sympathy with the thieves who plundered him? Can the woman who is defamed have any sympathy with those who would drag her and her children down to shame? Out upon such damnable sycophancy! It is the utterance of the trembling, truculent, submissive dog who "crooks the supple hinges of the knee that thrift may follow fawning." Is it right to denounce THAD. STEVENS, "personally," because he does not happen to live here? Is it wrong to denounce his pliant tool and disciple, BARBOUR LEWIS, because he unfortunately curses our people with his odious presence? Is it right and proper to denounce BEN. WADE, "personally," because he lives in Washington? Is it wrong to denounce BEAUMONT, "personally," because he is a little satrap of Memphis, fattening upon the tax-payers' hard earnings? Is it right to deal in "personalities" touching the liason between General MOWER's daughter and a buck nigger, because they don't reside here? Is it wrong to hold up to public gaze and contempt such a reeking wretch as HUNTER, because he curses one of our courts of justice (?) in presiding over it? Nothing "personal!" The Radicals are making a "personal" war upon every Southern man. Their political creed is a "personal" insult to every man who sympathized with the late rebellion. They propose to humiliate and degrade the best men of the South. Still there are those who would have us in speaking of these thieves and scalawags to use honeyed words, to talk of them in accents as soft as when "zephyrs to Flora breath." Is there nothing "personal" in robbing us of our liberties and plundering the public coffers? Is there nothing "personal" in taking the ballot-box from the white man and placing it in the hands of the ignorant negro? Is there nothing "personal" in calling our Generals "murderers" and "bush-whackers," and our whole people "traitors?" Is there nothing "personal" in erecting toll-gates upon every road leading into Memphis, and thus stealing from our impoverished citizens money to fill the pockets of thieves and scalawags? Is there nothing "personal" in placing the Southern people under a military despotism? Is there nothing "personal" in filling the prisons of Holly Springs with peaceable citizens to gratify the malice of lazy, worthless negroes? Is there nothing "personal" in dragging DAVID C. CROSS about like a culprit, abusing and insulting him while a prisoner, when he has committed no crime? Is there nothing "personal" in imprisoning editors for daring to expose the corruptions of a corrupt Judge? Is there nothing "personal" in muzzling the press, suppressing and punishing free speech, and in squandering the people's money, to pamper carpet-bag scalawags? Is there nothing "personal" in exempting the rich bondholder from taxation, while grinding the honest yeomanry, whose bread is made by the sweat of his brow? Is there nothing "personal" in removing civil officers elected by the tax paying people, and placing over them tyrants and pliant tools? Is there nothing "personal" in branding white men as "traitors," without proof, and declaring all black men loyal without proof? Is there nothing "personal" in using Federal power to control suffrage in a free and sovereign State? Is there nothing "personal" to use the tax payers money in establishing a Freedmen's Bureau to feed and clothe the lazy blacks as pensioners on the national bounty, while poor white men, their wives and their children are suffered to starve without sympathy or succor? Is there nothing "personal" in driving Senators and Representatives, legally elected by the people of a sovereign State, from the halls of Congress, because of political opinions? Is there nothing "personal" in destroying the Executive and Judicial departments of the Government, that cruel, corrupt and unworthy men may rule without check? Is there nothing "personal" in calumniating, slandering and villifying the Southern people while stealing their property and robbing them of their liberties? In a word, is there nothing "personal" in cheating the people, impoverishing the country, pampering the rich, violating the great charter of our rights and liberties, in promoting discord and anarchy, in abjuring peace and fraternity and laboring to erect a military despotism on the ruins of the people's liberties? It strikes us that there is much in this canvass, inaugurated by the Radicals, that is "personal," and in discussing men and measures we don't intend to speak with bated breath or in honeyed accents. We edit a political paper, and not a tinted, rose-water magazine, to be read by love-sick, sentimental misses, who are thrown into hysterics at a "personal" allusion or a strong and vigorous idea intended for strong and vigorous men who keenly feel their humiliation and degradation, and therefore entertain "personal" feelings toward those who have placed them under negro rule. We are defending the Constitution, the rights and liberties of the people against the "personal" outrages, the "personal" insults and contumely of the thieves and scalawags, who have neither "personal" honor, "personal" courage nor "personal" regard for the sufferings and oppressions of the people whose "personal" friendship they covet when there is anything "personal" to be gained; and we intend to "carry the war into Africa." The big dogs in Congress are no worse than the hounds in our midst. All are after plunder, and all expect to prosper only by the enslavement of our best citizens. Shall the Democratic journals throughout the land denounce such men as BUTLER, WADE and STEVENS, and yet shall we fail to denounce their equally infamous tools and pimps, of all grades, in Memphis? These last are even worse than their masters; for we see and know their daily corrupt deeds. We see them urging negroes to all excesses; encouraging lawlessness and pauperism among them by feeding them from the public crib, supplied by the taxes of disfranchised men. We see them voting for negro magistrates and negro constables, who will feel a delight in instigating discord between the races, to end in the arrest of white men by negro officers. Perhaps we may have to thank the Radicals for pushing matters to such extremes. Perhaps our people, patient and long-suffering, may have needed this crowning outrage to induce them to shake off the stupor which suffering and military rule have brought upon them. If so, we shall bless the outrage as the means of our redemption in Tennessee. To expose such men and their enormities is the mission of this paper. As to them, we shall make "personalities" our most efficient weapon in the coming contest; for we cannot separate damnable crimes from their more damnable perpetrators. Our people are with us and we "intend to fight it out on this line." None have been more savage in their warfare upon us than the Radicals; and, therefore, upon them we intend to honor all, from bankers to bakers, with such an advertisment, in the columns of the AVALANCHE, as they have not bargained for. We shall charge them nothing for it, but we warn them it will be a costly bill by the time they foot it up. If these bloodhounds think they can come down here, live in quiet, fatten upon spoils stripped from those they have disfranchised and placed under the rule of the brutal negro—if they think they can do all this, and can still aid in doing all this evil and outrage, may our own God—the God of justice and mercy—curse us if we fail to denounce those who array themselves with our enemies in our struggle for freedom. These leeches shall yet feel the power of an outraged and indignant country aroused to the defense of all its rights; and of an earnest, honest hatred, pouring out upon them in a hot, seething stream, as the lava from the burning volcano; a stream so fierce in its wrath that these scalawags will feel and see and know that the Southern people are not devoid of manly resentment. Cheer, friends, cheer! The day is dawning when niggers and carpet-baggers will no longer be in power. The tide is turning—"wait a little longer." The Radical dogs in Tennessee have had their day, and white men will soon again rule the South. Cheer, friends, cheer! Day is dawning, and the gloom of despair so long hanging over us as the pall of death will soon be lifted from our souls. "Freedom's morning reveillee" is heard once more summoning to its flag thousands who have been long—oh! so long waiting for its music. This is not a mere political struggle, as in the days of Whiggery and Democracy. Then we could indulge no "personalities," for we knew that the party winning was no more honest than the party losing; and that, in any event, no man's rights or liberties would be assailed. Then neither party thought of disfranchising the other—neither dreamed of clothing the negroes with political power. The present is no such contest. It is but a square, earnest struggle for liberty itself; and if the South shall lose, her lands will become deserts and her people wanderers. In this contest, our whole soul is enlisted. Our banner is flung to the breeze, and, from this time forth, we shall wage a fierce and unrelenting, but open war, upon those who have robbed us of our rights, plundered us of our substance, and would consign our wives and daughters to the companionship of the brutal negroes. Thus armed in so holy a cause, with Heaven's help, we will drive these Radical vultures back to the land cursed by their birth, in such consternation and dismay as seized SIEGEL's cowardly corps when they heard the battle cry of STONEWALL JACKSON behind them at Chancellorsville.

CANNOT the young men of Memphis organize a Democratic Club? There are rooms suitable for club meetings in every part of the city, and there are at least one thousand young men who could find time to attend them. Perhaps in Memphis there are not to be found a dozen white young men who would have the impudence to announce the doctrine of negro equality. We would like to see the face of any white man who believes in it. Yet the Radical party, with GRANT and COLFAX, proclaims this same doctrine. They excluded from their platform the enouncement that the negroe and the white man is equal; but that is their creed. They go before the country on this issue. Tennessee can be carried against this negro-equality party. To do so we must work, and the most efficient way is by clubs; they give unity and force of action. We say with many men of Memphis, organize your clubs!

TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, June 3.

The following was issued to-day:

"General Order No. 25.

"HEADQ'RS ADJ'T GEN.'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, June 3, 1868.

"The following order of the President has been received from the War Department:

[Here follows the order of the President, published yesterday.]

"In compliance with the instructions of the President and of the Secretary of War, on the day after the receipt of this order, at each military post the troops will be paraded at ten o'clock a.m., and the order read to them; after which all labor for the day will cease. The National flag will be displayed at half mast. At dawn of day thirteen guns will be fired; and after, at intervals of thirty minutes, between the rising and setting sun, a single gun; and at the close of the day a National salute of thirty-seven guns. The officers of the army will wear crape on the left arm and on their swords, and the colors of the several regiments will be put in mourning for the period of six months.

"By command of General Grant.

"A. G. TOWNSEND, A. A. G."

In pursuance of the order of the President announcing the death of ex-President Buchanan, the Secretary of the Navy has issued a special order directing thirty minute guns to be fired at each of the Navy Yards and naval stations on the fourth instant, commencing on board the flag ship in each squadron upon the day after the receipt of this order. The flags at the several Navy Yards, naval stations and marine barracks will be placed at half mast until after the funeral, and on board the naval vessels in commission upon the day after this order is received.

Morehead and Maywood, Republicans, and Niblack, Democrat, of the Ways and Means Committee, reported to the full committee to-day a long bill for the increase and revision of the tariff, when Brooks offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, From five to fifty per cent. of the additional imports were imposed by the act of June 30, 1864, and the subsequent acts to offset the internal revenue tax and of the act of June 30, 1864; and,

Whereas, It was then understood and judged that this additional external tariff was only to provide against and offset the internal tariff or tax; and,

Whereas, By an act of the present session of Congress the internal taxes upon manufactured articles have been abolished; therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Committee on Ways and Means that in any new bill reported the duties on imports ought to be reduced, so as to offset this from five to fifty per cent. raised by the act of June 30, 1864, in consequence of the abandonment of the Internal Revenue or tax on manufactures by the act of March 31, 1868.

Mr. Allison offered the following as a substitute:

"That it is inexpedient at this late period of the session to undertake any revision of the Tariff laws, except as to the correction of any legislation which may manifestly bear heavily or unnecessarily on any particular object or interest."

On motion, all these propositions were laid on the table, Messrs. Brooks and Niblack dissenting. After some discussion, it was voted to postpone the bill reported by Mr. Morehead, to December next—ayes 5, nays 4, which it is understood has disposed of the tariff question for this session, except on some few articles, including copper and zinc. Lumber and sugar will in all probability not be touched, as requested by the refineries.

A number of disturbances occurred between the whites and negroes last night, on the occasion of serenading the Mayor elect (Bowen), by 5,000 persons. Two or three were injured and one killed, while several stores were assaulted and injured.

The delegates to the National Typographical Union paid their respects to the President to-day. Brief speeches were made.

Mr. Burlingame and the Chinese Embassy will be presented at the Executive mansion on Friday by Secretary Seward.

Admiral Thatcher has been placed on the retired list.

RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, June 3.

The United States Court met this morning, Chief Justice Chase and Judge Underwood presiding. The Chief Justice called the case of Jefferson Davis, when Mr. Anderson, of Mississippi, one of counsel of defense, read an argument for postponement till October, signed by Messrs. Evarts and O'Connor. The Chief Justice then asked if counsel were ready for the trial, independent of this stipulation. Governor Wells, for the prosecution, replied: Whereas, in view of the absence of the Deputy Attorney, who is in a dying condition, the absence of prisoner, caused by stipulation, and absence of Mr. Evarts, who stood in the position of more directly representing the Attorney General, the case could not well be gone on with. He suggested some day of the term in October, when the Chief Justice could attend. The counsel for the defense moved for a postponement until next term, which the Chief Justice granted, saying at the same time that had the trial taken place in May a year ago, last fall, or now it would have been more convenient for him as he was ready to try the case. He would, however, attend the next term, if possible, in view of his other duties. The witnesses, including General R. E. Lee, were recognized to appear on the fourth Monday in November, the prisoner's bail being renewed.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, June 3.

The attendance at the races to-day was much larger than that of yesterday. The weather was clear and pleasant. The first race for the city and merchants' purse of four hundred dollars for four year olds, two mile heats, the entries were as follows: James Fords b. c. Wolford, 1, 1; A. J. Armstrongs, c. b. Woodlawn 2, 2. A. Keene Richards b. c. John Porter distanced in the first heat. Time, 3:51; 4:35. Second race, United States Hotel purse of $150, mile heats, free for all, resulted as follows. James Ford's b. f. four years old, by Lexington, dam by Altorf, 1, 2, 3. R. B. Cheatham's s. m. Ooltawah (aged,) 2, 1, 1. Thomas Stewart's b. c. John Hunter, four years old, 3, 3, 4. A. J. Armstrong's, b. g. John Scott, (aged,) 4, 4, 2. Time, 1:51¾; 1:50½; 1:55.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, June 3.

The annual examination at West Point commenced yesterday. That of the graduating class, numbering fifty-eight, will occupy several days.

Six hundred and seventy-seven lodges are represented in the Grand Masonic Lodge now in session here. The annual reports are favorable. The receipts for the year are $67,222. Number of new Lodges, 6,500. Fifty-one new Lodges have received warrants, and twenty-eight dispensatories have been granted.

The steamship St. Lawrence, from Havre, has arrived. Among her passengers are General Hooker and wife and Professor Morse.

FROM PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.

The National Board of Trade Convention met to-day at eleven o'clock. Delegates were present from nearly every commercial city in the Union. The Convention was called to order by John Welch, and Charles G. Nayers, of Boston, was elected temporary chairman. The list of delegates was called and their credentials handed in.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, June 3.

According to the arrangement of the Board of Trade the remains of Hon. Stephen A. Douglas were this morning transferred from their first resting place to the Mausoleum. A large number of citizens and strangers were present.

RIVER NEWS.

ST. LOUIS, June 3.

The river is declining, with nine feet to Cairo. A big rise is coming from the upper streams.

LOUISVILLE, June 3.

Arrived—P. W. Strader, from New Orleans. Passed—Fannie Gilbert from New Orleans to Cincinnati, and Clifton from Memphis to Cincinnati.

Fortieth Congress—First Session

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, June 2.

Mr. Wilson introduced a bill to remove the political disabilities of certain persons who have been elected to the Legislature and other offices. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Sumner offered a resolution, which was placed on the calendar and ordered to be printed, declaring the constitutional responsibility of Senators for their votes on impeachment.

Mr. Sumner, from the Committee on Finance, reported the following amendment to the bill reported January 16th, relating to United States notes, to strike out all after the enacting clauses and insert as follows: "That any contract hereafter made, specifically payable in coin, shall be legal and valid, and may be enforced according to its terms, anything in the several acts relating to United States notes to the contrary notwithstanding."

Mr. Hendricks moved to take up the bill to make eight hours a day's labor in the Government workshops.

Mr. Trumbull urged the consideration of the bill for the admission of North Carolina, South Carolina, Louisiana, Georgia and Florida, but after some discussion and without action, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

Mr. Burr proceeded to congratulate the House, the country and the Democracy on the victory in Oregon, when Mr. Farnsworth called for the regular business, and the House proceeded to the consideration of the Ohio contested election case.

Mr. Morgan, the sitting member, concluded his argument.

Messrs. Schofield, Schenck and Dawes spoke in favor of the claim of the contestant. The previous question was then seconded, and the resolution giving the seat to Delano was adopted by eighty-eight to thirty five, and he appeared at the Clerk's desk and took the oath of office.

Mr. Woodward offered a resolution reciting that whatever diversities of opinion may prevail relative to the administration of James Buchanan, the members of the House can cordially unite in honoring the purity of his character, his ability and patriotism, and requesting the Speaker to appoint a committee of seven to attend his funeral, and to communicate a copy of this resolution to the relatives of the deceased. Mr. Woodward having declined to modify the resolution by omitting the reference to "patriotism" and "ability," the resolution, on the motion of Mr. Farnsworth, was tabled by 75 to 46.

Mr. Blain asked leave to offer a resolution as a mark of respect to one who had held such an eminent public station as James Buchanan, and requesting the Speaker to appoint a committee of seven to attend his funeral services; and also to communicate a copy of this resolution to the relatives of the deceased, which, after opposition from Mr. Van Wyck and others, was adopted by 80 to 16.

The following were appointed as the committee: Messrs. Glass, Brenner, Marshall, Eldridge, Blain, Mickel and Trimble. After which the House took a recess until 7:30 p.m., when the Tax Bill was taken up in the Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Wood spoke on the revenue and financial system of the Government.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Internal Revenue Taxes

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, EIGHTH DISTRICT TENNESSEE,
MEMPHIS, June 3, 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual List of Taxes on Income, Business, or Professions, Carriages, Watches, etc., etc., for this District, has been returned to me by the Assessor, and all persons are notified that said Taxes are now due and payable.

Payments in this city and county must be made before the 1st day of July, at my office, or additional costs and penalties will accrue. ROLFE S. SAUNDERS, Collector. je4

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS,

Greenbrier County, West Va.

THESE SPRINGS, so long and favorably known to seekers of health and pleasure, will be open for the reception of visitors on the 1st of June. With extensive improvements and a general refurnishing of the establishment, we will be prepared for the comfortable accommodation of TWO THOUSAND PERSONS.

HOT AND WARM SULPHUR BATHS,

So eminently serviceable in connection with the internal use of these ALTERATIVE WATERS are always at the command of the visitor.

One of the best city BANDS OF MUSIC will be in attendance to enliven the LAWNS and the BALL ROOM; and a suitable LIVERY will be open to the use of those who may desire to indulge in horseback and carriage exercise.

In addition to other amusements, the proprietors have provided a new and elegant Bowling Alley and Billiard Room.

Charges will be $3 a day, or $80 per month; children under 10 years, and colored servants, half price; white servants according to accommodations.

No effort or expense will be spared on the part of the proprietors to manage this establishment in a manner best calculated to promote the comfort of visitors in every respect.

PEYTONS & CO.
WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. VA., June 1, 1868. je4

"THE BROWNSVILLE BEE."

COL. W. IVIE WESTBROOK, Late of Mississippi. | DR. B. W. BEERS, Late of Mobile, Ala.

WESTBROOK & BEERS, Editors and Proprietors.

A Democratic White Man's Journal.

Decisions of the Supreme Court published weekly.

TERMS—Three Dollars per annum, in advance. je4 1t

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Arrive at	Louisville	4:00 a.m.	17:30 p.m.
"	Indianapolis	10:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
"	Cincinnati	12 noon.	11:20 p.m.
"	Cleveland	9:50 p.m.	6:25 a.m.
"	Buffalo	5:20 a.m.	1:35 p.m.
"	Niagara Falls	10:30 a.m.	4:05 p.m.
"	Pittsburg	2:30 a.m.	10:45 a.m.
"	Baltimore	6:20 p.m.	4:20 a.m.
"	Washington	10:00 p.m.	5:15 a.m.
"	Philadelphia	6:10 p.m.	1:25 a.m.
"	New York	7:40 p.m.	5:00 a.m.
"	Boston	12 night.	4:00 p.m.

Both Trains connect for Nashville.

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Through Tickets at Reduced Rates

Can be procured at the Company's Office, 237½ Main street and at Depot, head of Main street.

Baggage Checked at Depot or by the Memphis City Transfer Company, at Hotels, Private Residences, or on board boats, to all principal points East and North.

SAM. B. JONES, Superintendent.
ASA HILL, Passenger Agent. je4

TO THE PUBLIC!

The Greatest Discovery Known to the World in Medicine.

The Eureka Life-Blood Elixir

HAS at last made its way into this country, after having been in use in the old world for so many years, and especially in China. The celebrated alchemist and chemist, Dr. Hepperdam, of Pekin, China, has at last consented to his great CHINESE REMEDY being introduced on this continent, and has established a few wholesale agencies for the purpose of supplying all druggists throughout the towns and cities of our country. This great Blood Medicine has performed cures (the most astonishing) where every other remedy known in Materia Medica has most signally failed.

IT IS NO HUMBUG OR QUACK NOSTRUM,

But is a preparation which has been brought out after many long years of the deepest research, aided by the greatest chemical science and skill that could be brought to bear in its production. We therefore place it wholly

UPON ITS OWN MERITS,

ASKING THE INVALID OR AFFLICTED TO

TRY IT ONCE

To be fully convinced, as its effects are instantaneous from the first dose taken, entering at once into the blood and penetrating every pore of the whole body, driving out every impurity from the whole system, and creating instead PURE LIFE BLOOD; hence its name.

For Sale by all Druggists.

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Whitemore House.

SPACIOUS, airy rooms, clean beds, beautiful and quiet locality, and a table not excelled by any in Memphis. Those wishing board would do well to select rooms as the house is filling rapidly.

my28 A. T. SHAW, Proprietor.

HATS! HATS! HATS!

AT REDUCED PRICES!

IN order to reduce our stock, previous to moving, BEING OBLIGED TO MAKE WAY FOR THE NEW HOTEL, we will sell for the next thirty days at reduced prices.

FRANCISCO & WIGGIN,

my21 Hatters and Furriers, 309 Main Street.

AUCTION.

By W. H. PASSMORE & CO.

THIS MORNING,

BOYS' and Men's Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Notions, etc.; also Household Furniture. je4

Auction Sales by A. S. Levy & Co.

This Thursday Morning at 10 o'clock,

At our Salesrooms, 237 Second street.

A LARGE assortment of FURNITURE, DRY GOODS, BOOTS, UMBRELLAS, etc., etc.

je4 J. WILKERSON, Salesman.

Bankruptcy Sale!

BY order of the District Court of the United States for the District of West Tennessee, W. Y. Cirode, Assignee of the estate of Conaway, Jones & Tate, in Bankruptcy, will sell, at public auction,

ON THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1868,

At 10 o'clock a.m., at the Auction House of

Royster, Trezevant & Co.,

276 Second street, Ayres' Building, 17 PACKAGES

IMPORTED WINES, LIQUORS & TEAS

CONSISTING OF

No. 1—One-half bbl. Mehan's Irish Whisky.
No. 2—One-half bbl. Jamaica Rum.
No. 3—One quarter cask "Paul Emil" Port Wine.
No. 4—One bbl. Meder's Swan Gin.
No. 5—One-quarter cask A. Seignette Brandy (Pale).
No. 6—One bbl. Catawba Brandy.
No. 7—One quarter cask "Paul Emil" Port Wine.
No. 8—One-quarter cask Bordeaux Pale Brandy (J. J. Dupuy).
No. 9—One-quarter cask "Crown" Port Wine.
No. 10—One-quarter cask "O. P." Sherry Wine.
No. 11—One-quarter cask "L & F." Sherry Wine.
No. 12—One-quarter cask "Forrester" Port Wine.
No. 13—One-eighth cask Otard, D. & Co., 60 Brandy, Pale.
No. 14—Four small chests fine Teas.

To which the especial attention of Grocers, Liquor Dealers, Druggists and connoisseurs is called.

TERMS, CASH. A deposit required on bidding off the goods. je3 1d

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust made to me on the 28th day of January, 1868, by Daniel Hanley, which is recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, Tennessee, in record book No. 65, pages 265, 266 and 267, and in pursuance with the terms thereof, I will, ON SATURDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF JUNE, 1868, proceed to sell, before the Chancery Court Clerk's office, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following real estate described in said deed of trust, to-wit: A certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the southwest corner of Second and Saffarans streets; thence south with said Second street thirty-seven feet one and a half inches to a stake; thence west one hundred and forty-eight feet six inches to a stake at an alley; thence north with said alley thirty-seven feet one an a half inches to said Saffarans street; thence east with said Saffarans street one hundred and fifty-eight feet six inches to the beginning—situated in the Greenlaw addition to Memphis, according to survey made by M. A. Kerr.

The sale will be made to satisfy a certain promissory note described in the deed of trust. The equity of redemption is waived, and the title to the property is believed to be good, but I will only convey as trustee.

je3 W. MESSICK, Trustee.

ATTEND THE GREAT SALE! ATTEND THE GREAT SALE!

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Hay! Hay! Hay!

JUST LANDED—One hundred and fifty tons of HAY, in flatboat. For sale low.

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Books Open for Subscription,

CALL on R. B. WRIGHT, General Agent, Room 1, over Commercial Bank. my30

Photograph Gallery for Sale,

WITH everything complete for a First Class Gallery. Situated on Main street, Columbus, Miss. Great inducements are offered to a purchaser. For particulars apply to G. FALLS & CO., 226 Front street, Memphis, or CAGE & BRO., Columbus, Miss. my19

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Established by Raphael Semmes in 1819.

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BLANK AND MEMORANDUM BOOKS.

A large and well selected stock of everything in our line kept constantly on hand at Lowest Market Price. Wholesale dealers would do well to examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere. mh6

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GROCERS, COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 209 Main Street, Four Doors North of Adams, Memphis, Tenn.,

— GENERAL DEALERS IN —

Bacon, Mess Pork, Flour, Lard, Sugar, Coffees, Teas, N. O. Molasses & Syrups

Our stock of Shelf Goods is full and complete, consisting in part of

Canned Fruits, Oysters, Sardines, Pickles, Sauces, Ketchups, Cigars, Tobacco,

ETC. ETC., ETC.

Merchants will do well to examine our stock. Captain KEALHOFER gives special attention to COTTON and other PRODUCE consigned to the house. my10

MARTIN WALT & CO.,

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Established 1852,

WHOLESALE GROCERY AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS

DEALERS IN

ALL KINDS OF WESTERN PRODUCE,

272 Front Street, Memphis, Tennessee.

Agents for the Old Established Line of Arkansas River Packets.

We are prepared to make CASH ADVANCES, when required, on Shipments of WESTERN PRODUCE for sale here or on COTTON consigned to our Correspondents in New Orleans. my6

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mississippi Valley Branch

OF THE

KNICKERBOCKER

Mutual Life Insurance Company

At Memphis, Tenn.,

Office No. 18 Knickerbocker Building.

Assets, : : : $4,000,000

Policies Issued at this Office on all the popular plans, and the General Business transacted on the same terms as with the Home Office of the Company.

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HENDERSON OWEN, of Messrs. Owen, McNutt & Co.;
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THE COLLIER WHITE LEAD & OIL COMPANY
ESTABLISHED 1837.
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Collier Company's Manufactures for sale by all dealers in Memphis and the Mississippi Valley. ap29

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 25th day of May, A. D., 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

GEORGE R. McNABB,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby, and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 40 Main street, in Waldran block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock, a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 2d day of June, A. D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger,
Western District of Tennessee.
By J. B. BENHAM,
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. je3

Valuable City Property for Sale FOR CITY SCRIP.

TITLE good and lot valuable. Thirty-five feet by two hundred. Address

ap29 A. B., AVALANCHE OFFICE.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. SESSEL & SON,

259 MAIN STREET, 259

Have Just Received

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF DRY GOODS

IN THE CITY.

The Old Memphis Brass & String Band

PROFESSOR ANDREW SMITH, LEADER.

THIS Band will furnish music at prices to suit the times, for Tournaments, Processions, Balls, Picnics, Private Parties, etc., on shortest notice. Orders left at 265 Main and Nos. 41 and 58 Jefferson streets, or addressed to the leader through post-office, will receive prompt attention. my30

Just Received.

20 TUBS New Western Reserve Butter,
25 half barrels Madison Ale,
20 quarter barrels Madison Ale,
50 kits Virginia Roe Herring,
10 barrels Pure Robertson Co. Whisky.

For Sale Low to close consignment, by

VESEY & CARTWRIGHT,
my21 299 Front Street.

Notice.

FROM and after this day I have no connection whatever with the firm of KIRTLAND, POLLARD & CO.

W. J. POLLARD.
MEMPHIS, May 30, 1868. 1w

VARIETIES THEATER,

Corner of Main and Washington Streets.

O. H. H. BROOM .... Proprietor

ONLY PLACE OF AMUSEMENT OPEN IN THE CITY

A MONSTER BILL TO-NIGHT.

Consisting of Ballads, Duets, Comic Vocalism, Fancy Dances, Ethiopian Sketches, Farces, Pantomimes, etc., in all forming

A RICH, RARE AND RACY ENTERTAINMENT.

Admission Fifty Cents. Private Boxes Five Dollars. Doors open at half-past six, performance to commence at half past seven o'clock.

Sealed Proposals.

OFFICE CITY ENGINEER,
MEMPHIS, TENN., June 1, 1868.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until Twelve o'clock m., SATURDAY, June 6, for building two Short Brick Sewers on Beale street, at Bayou Gayoso. For plans and specifications apply to the undersigned.

J. H. HUMPHREYS,
je2 City Engineer.

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

THURSDAY, : : : : JUNE 4, 1868

OFFICIAL JOURNAL
OF THE CITY AND BOARD OF SCHOOL VISITORS.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mr. E. C. Barbour, the well known insurance agent, returned yesterday.

Robert Turner (colored) is under arrest for stealing from Messrs. J. & J. Steele & Co.

Henderson Walker, another of the parties who recently passed a $50 United States Treasury note, has been arrested by officer Leiby.

—We learned yesterday, from three or four hundred respectable citizens, that it was a warm day. We decline expressing an opinion until the matter can be investigated by a committee of reporters.

The new omnibus line of Patterson, Keck & Co. has thus far been very successful. Mr. A. Davis, the polite and energetic agent, is invaluable to the company. He has numerous personal friends. Any evidence of enterprise is gratifying in these dull times.

The proprietor of the Southern Hotel complains that a policeman brought a poor, sick, helpless woman in his house night before last and obtained a room for her, promising that he would have her removed to the hospital, which has not been done. She says she was turned out of the County Hospital, and that she lay in the streets last Saturday night.

The King of Humbug, who cures the head-ache for negroes when they take too much lightning-red whisky, was followed through the streets the other day by a pack of greasy picaninnies, who picked up his cast off rags as fast as he dropped them and put the precious, all-curing, cheap job printing into their capacious sacks, along with cigar stumps, old boot heels and other trash. Those little nigs evidently believe there is "something in it."

The famous "bumpus" train, which leaves for Somerville, on the Memphis and Charleston railroad has been replaced by new and stylish looking cars. One of them, marked "second class," is an iron clad formerly used by General Rosecrans, and presents rather a novel appearance in its new and peaceful dress. The train is well patronized, and quite a favorite with our friends along the line. The conductor is also a great favorite, especially with the ladies.

The old members of Relief Fire Company No. 7 are requested to meet at their hall, on DeSoto street, on Thursday night, the 4th instant, at seven o'clock. A large attendance is desired, as important business will be transacted. 3t

LAUNDRY.—Gents' washing at one dollar per dozen. Office 40 Jefferson street, at O. F. Prescott & Co.'s. Work done in eight hours.

RALEIGH SPRINGS.—The house and lot known as Odd Fellows' Hall will be sold at auction to-day, June 4th, at 12 o'clock. Terms liberal. The above lot is 87 by 150 feet, and near the springs.

O. F. PRESCOTT.

Don't forget that our sale at cost for boots, shoes and hats still continues at old stand, 279 Main street. if J. T. HANDLAN & Co.

An invoice of fine brandies and wines from the well-known dealers, Vibbard, Fiske & Co., of New York, will be sold this morning by Mr. Chrode, assignee in bankruptcy of Conaway, Jones & Tate, at the salesroom of Royster, Trezevant & Co., auctioneers, at 10 o'clock.

LAUNDRY.—Gents' washing at one dollar per dozen. Office 40 Jefferson street, at O. F. Prescott & Co.'s. Work done in eight hours.

SODA WATER.—Do you want a drink of the finest soda water in Memphis? Then go to W. C. Potter's, 335 Main street, corner of Union. It is cool enough to freeze an iceburg, and richly flavored. Potter's past reputation for keeping splendid soda water is fully sustained.

NOTICE.—D. E. Anderson & Co. can be found for the present at the office of Dr. H. DeLap, No. 69½ Adams street. 3t

THE ORATORIO SUNDAY NIGHT.—It is hoped to obtain upward of a thousand dollars for the orphans of St. Peter's Asylum by the oratorio next Sunday evening. Every arrangement has been perfected to render one of the finest musical treats ever offered in Memphis, and we advise all lovers of music to be on hand.

No. 10 Mulberry street has changed hands, been newly fitted and refurnished to accommodate boarders by week or month, at present reduced prices. Best references given and required. 1w

A REMARKABLE COLLECTION.—From the many bankrupt sales Messrs. Menken Brothers have collected over 5,000 remnants of dry goods, from domestic calico to the fine mull of India. We never saw such an immense variety of goods, of every length; and from the price they are selling them, we would hint to our economists and hard-times prattlers that they can buy them at one-fourth their value.

IMPORTED WINE.—I would inform the citizens of Memphis and vicinity that I have eight or nine hundred gallons of pure imported port wine for sale cheap for cash, at 362 Shelby street. 3t T. W. O'DONNELL.

GARROTING AND ROBBERY.—Henry Sweeny and H. C. Williams—both white men—were arrested yesterday by sergeant Atlee, charged with garrotting and robbing a drunken man. They met him quite early at the Memphis and Charleston depot, and induced him to go with them to a gully between Main and Beale streets. Once here one of them caught him around the neck while two others rifled his pockets of seven dollars. Robber No. 3 has not yet been overhauled.

FISHING SEASON OPENED.—We understand that fish are biting finely at Hopefield Lake and Marion Lake. A trip to either will amply repay any disciple of Izaak Walton.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION AT NEW YORK—HALF FARE.—Memphis and Charleston railroad will carry delegates and alternates to the Democratic Convention, to be held in New York on the Fourth of July next, at half fare, return tickets being issued on payment of fare one way at the following ticket offices: Memphis—278 Main street and 3 Memphis and Charleston depot. Little Rock—Anthony House. 1w

LAUNDRY.—Gents' washing at one dollar per dozen. Office 40 Jefferson street, at O. F. Prescott & Co.'s. Work done in eight hours.

DARING ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.—Captain Perry, of the South Memphis District, about 12 o'clock last night, discovered several negroes attempting to force an entrance into the store of Wetter & Co., on Monroe street. The Captain fired on them, killing one of the negroes, when a negro returned the fire, seriously wounding Captain Perry. Hot lead is the only effectual remedy for these daring negro burglars, and we hope all our policemen, as well as citizens, will emulate the example of Captain Perry.

Robert Wardlow respectfully offers to the public music, by a string or a brass band. Terms moderate. Orders left at Ned Adams' barber shop, No. 357 Main street, between Union and Gayoso, will be promptly attended to on the shortest notice. 1w

MEMPHIS, CLARKSVILLE AND LOUISVILLE RAILWAY BANKRUPT QUESTION.—It is probable that, notwithstanding recent steps taken, the Memphis, Clarksville and Louisville Railroad Company will not soon file a petition in bankruptcy. The Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company is anxious to "gobble" it at bankrupt sale; but as the franchise, or right to run the road, is in the hands of the State government, it cannot be so sold; and one of the attorneys of the Louisville and Nashville road, Francis B. Fogg, Esq., says that should the sale be made, it cannot be used as a throughfare, the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company possessing no right to run it. Thus the matter will doubtless rest until the meeting of the Legislature, when it is thought extra legislation will be brought into requisition to provide for the sale at auction of State railroads.

MURDER AND ROBBERY NEAR JOHNSONVILLE, TENNESSEE.—We learn that a few days since some negroes, while passing along a road several miles from Johnsonville, on the Tennessee river, discovered, among some bushes, the dead body of a white man, in the woods. His throat contained several ghastly gashes, his pockets were cut, literally from ear to ear. The poor man's hat, boots and coat could not be found, and the appearance of the ground presented every indication of a desperate struggle having taken place previous to the murderer having overpowered. Subsequent investigation proved the unfortunate to be W. M. Clemons or Clements, who had been in the vicinity some time purchasing staves for a Northern market. No money was found on the body, and it is evident the crime was committed for gain. Clemons was a Pennsylvanian.

BASE BALL—PRIDE OF THE SOUTH VS. EUREKA.—Quite an interesting game of base ball was played between the above named clubs on Wednesday, the Eureka coming off victorious by a score of 37 to 36. Lawrence's pitching was excellent. We append the score:

EUREKA.	O.	R.	PRIDE OF THE SOUTH.	O.	R.
Brittain, S. F.	3	7	Galena, P	4	3
Medley, 2 B.	3	7	Hall, 1 B	3	5
Hines, 3 B.	3	7	J. Wester, 2 B	3	5
Kirkland, C.	1	9	J. C. Patterson, 3 B	3	5
Lawrence, P.	4	3	Wester, S. S.	3	5
Patrick, R. F.	4	3	D. Mann, C. F.	3	5
Dobbs, 1 B.	4	3	Veach, C.	3	5
Smith, 1 B.	4	3	M. Kean, 1 B	3	5
Nelson, C. F.	4	3	Morrison	3	5
	37			36	

INNINGS.

Eureka	2	1	5	0	2	1	1	0	0—11
Pride of the South	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

Umpire—Mr. Thurman. Time of game—2 hours, 45 minutes. Scorers—Messrs. Massey and Fisher.

A FRUITFUL RASCAL.

Systematic Thieving by a Young Man Employed as Private Watchman.

He Walks into a Trap Set for Him and is Nicely Caught.

Messrs. O. F. Prescott & Co., 40 Jefferson street, have been in the habit of keeping their cash-box in a drawer, under some shelving. At night small amounts of postal currency were generally left in it, large bills being deposited.

Ten days ago Messrs. Prescott & Co. discovered that their cash account was "short" a couple of dollars. A day or two afterward the sum was increased to four or five dollars; and the balance on the wrong side of the ledger continued until reaching twenty-five or thirty dollars, although at no one time did more than four dollars disappear.

It was evident that a regular system of pilfering had been inaugurated, and it was determined to clear up the mystery. Enough was found to satisfy the proprietors that the thief entered the front door, and a watch was set for him. Mr. J. F. Prescott and a friend stealthily visited the store Saturday and Monday nights, remaining inside until nearly daylight. No one came; but examination of the till Monday morning showed that a few dollars had been abstracted Sunday night.

Tuesday night Mr. Prescott again concealed himself in the store. He was enabled by the foreman of his soap works, Mr. Gaskill. About half past two o'clock yesterday morning some one stopped at the front door and inserted a key in the lock. It turned with difficulty, and to secure entrance the nocturnal visitor was compelled to push vigorously. Once inside the intruder shut and locked the door, deliberately walked behind the counter and stopped in front of the drawer which had been so often robbed. Opening the drawer he took out the little cash box and placed it on the counter, preparatory to helping himself to a portion of its contents. All the time Mr. Prescott and his friend were standing within a few feet, as closely observing his actions as the dim light of a lamp and that reflected from the street through the glass doors permitted. suddenly Mr. Prescott leveled a repeater at the thief. The cap snapped. Another effort to fire was equally unsuccessful. But they satisfied the burglar that he was observed. He ran once ahead. "Who's there?" Mr. Prescott then stepped from behind the desk and ordered him to surrender or die. The weapon, which he was again cocking, was this time prematurely discharged; and the burglar at once begged for his life, declaring that he would not attempt to escape. A moment later he was seized by Mr. Gaskill, and firmly secured on the floor.

Full light being turned on, the burglar proved to be Joseph P. Wild, who has been private watchman of Adams and Jefferson blocks for nearly two years. He was taken to the station house, and during the morning Captain Simons had his room, over 77 Adams street, searched. He found a large quantity of goods of nearly every description—all evidently stolen—including two lamps some time since missed from Prescott's, and bar fixtures mysteriously spirited away from the Head Quarters saloon, adjoining.

Wilds was taken before Esquire Griffiths and committed for trial, without privilege of bail. He is unmarried, and not more than twenty-five or twenty-six years old. His father drove a little light on some of the many robberies committed in the two blocks and immediate vicinity during the past year or two. Mr. Prescott deserves the thanks of the community for so successfully catching this precious rascal and hauling him thus early in his career of scoundrelism.

THE THOMPSON TESTIMONIAL.—Inadvertently a large number of the names of citizens who tendered a complimentary benefit to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, failed to appear in the city papers yesterday. We reprint the correspondence with all the names attached:

MEMPHIS, TENN., June 1, 1868.

MRS. R. P. THOMPSON: *Dear Madam.*—We, the undersigned ladies and gentlemen, beg to tender to you and Mr. Thompson, a complimentary benefit at the New Memphis Theater, on any evening of this week that may suit your convenience.

In tendering this benefit we simply desire to show our appreciation of the many acts of benevolence and kindness performed by you, and for valuable services rendered in aid of all the charitable objects presented to your consideration.

We beg leave further to say that this sentiments of grateful remembrance are called forth on the present occasion by your offer to prepare an attractive performance to be given at the theater during the second week in June, in aid of the funds of the Church Orphan's Home—an institution worthy the fostering care of our community.

Very respectfully, yours, etc.,

R. Hough,	J. J. Pritchard,
W. H. Passmore,	T. W. Hoke,
F. S. Davis,	Geo. Mellersh,
W. Spot Smith,	Mrs. Williamson,
T. S. Ayres,	Mrs. W. S. Pickett,
J. E. Merriman,	Mrs. A. N. Taylor,
J. M. Tomeny,	Mrs. W. L. Vance,
G. P. Foote,	Mrs. J. H. McMahon,
W. L. Vance,	Mrs. S. P. Walker, jr.,
D. A. Brower,	Mrs. D. E. Bryan,
J. J. Murphy,	Mrs. J. R. Chalmers,
W. T. Irwin, M. D.,	Mrs. H. Lowenstein,
James Elder,	Miss Sue Flaherty,
S. B. Beaumont,	Mrs. Eames,
A. K. Taylor, M. D.,	Mrs. J. H. Speed,
B. Lowenstein,	Miss Lou Trout,
W. W. Galller,	Mrs. Laura Mitchell,
C. P. Norris,	Mrs. Lizzie Brown,
E. A. Secchor,	Misses Kirby,
J. S. Drake,	Miss Katie Worsham,
N. T. Levy,	Mrs. P. G. Bigley,
D. A. Shepherd,	Mrs. W. A. Bickford,
D. E. Myers,	Mrs. Spotswood,
Mercer Otey,	Mrs. L. J. Dupree,
Wm. S. Pickett,	Mrs. R. Wormley,
E. M. Willett, M. D,	Mrs. T. S. Ayres,
M. H. Baldwin,	Miss Ida Mintern,
P. G. Bigley,	Mrs. Jennie Fontain,

MEMPHIS, June 1, 1868.

To Mrs. W. L. Vance, Mrs. J. H. McMahon, Mrs Wm. S. Pickett, Messrs. Pickett, Ayres, A. K. Taylor and others:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—Your very kind and flattering note, tendering a complimentary benefit to myself and Mr. Thompson, at the New Memphis Theater, is this day received, for which please accept my heartfelt thanks, and beg leave to name Friday, June 5th, for said benefit.

Respectfully, ROSE P. THOMPSON.

We subjoin the cast of "Guy Mannering," the piece selected for the occasion:

Colonel Mannering	W. H. Passmore
Henry Bertram	Mrs. Chas. Collins
Dominie Sampson	Lou. Lonbrie
Dandie Dinmont	Mrs. Sol. Smith
Dirk Hatteraick	Nathan Smith
Pierre Mackleshift	Mrs. Spotswood
Gilbert Glossin	W. H. Bacchi
Gabriel (Gipsies)	Paul Wright
Frank Kennedy	A. J. Bryan
Francis	Mrs. Frank Haswell
Jock	Miss Jessie Bell
Julia Mannering	Mrs. Frank Jenkins
Lucy Bertram	Mrs. Sol. Smith

The box office will be open this and to-morrow afternoons from two to five o'clock, for the sale of secured seats. Let there be a crowded house. Both Mr. and Mrs. Thompson eminently deserve such a recognition of their efforts, not only to promote the legitimate drama in our midst, but for furthering—whenever it lay in their power—the cause of charity. Secure seats at once.

Complete List of the Delegates to the Democratic State Convention.

At the request of the President and Secretary of the Democratic meeting held at Exchange Building, on Monday evening, we publish a complete list of the delegates:

S F Walker,	John W Leftwich,
M D L Stewart,	General P B Glenn,
Jesse Page,	W O Lofland,
Minor Merriwether,	John Mhoon,
J H Miller,	J J DaRose,
T Pitts,	W G Callaway,
James Southerland,	C C Ward,
P M Winters,	M W Cluskey,
W G Swan,	N B Forrest,
H L Priddy,	W E G Hussey,
J P Strange,	Antonio Cordano,
W F Tyler,	Col John W Dawson,
Col M Magevery, jr,	Andrew J Edmondson,
Thomas D Allen,	Chamberlain Jones, sr,
W H Walker,	John T Tremont,
L G Haynes,	Theodore McGee,
J H Goodlett,	J D Rumin,
General Albert Pike,	N B Hart,
F A Tyler,	Major Phil T Alles,
Col Luke W Finley,	Reuben Burrow,
W W Coleman,	P T Scruggs,
T C Blakeley,	P Smith,
J Harvey Maibee,	Colonel W T Avery,
Col H Clay Conde,	John Bullock,
F L Warner,	A S Levy,
M McGinty,	M J Waldran,
Col C D Melean,	John Boaser,
Captain T F Tobin,	J M Coleman.

We are requested to announce that the delegates will meet at the editorial rooms of the AVALANCHE to-day, (Thursday) for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements.

THE BRAN DANCH AND BALL AT RALEIGH.—Our young ladies and gentlemen desirous of a day's rare enjoyment should not forget the bran dance in a grove at Raleigh to-day, and the grand ball at the Raleigh Springs Hotel to-night. Mr. J. M. Coleman, proprietor of the hotel, is superintending both affairs, and those familiar with his way of entertaining need not be assured that everything will pass off most agreeably. Trains will leave the Memphis and Ohio depot at seven and eleven a.m., and at two and four p.m., connecting with the regular line of omnibuses from the cemetery to Raleigh. Parties can return at twelve m. at six p.m., or at seven a.m. to-morrow morning. We hope there will be a large attendance from the city, as the delightful entertainments given at that point should be encouraged.

THE COURTS.

CHANCERY COURT.—*Wm. M. Smith, Chancellor, etc.*
The following order entered on yesterday:
Blakeslee & Childs, *pro con/sso.*
Durant vs Davis, former decree revived.
Travis vs Renfrow, *pro con/sso.*
Knapp vs S Ex Co., *pro con/sso.*
Dickinson vs Beer, *pro confesso.*
Keck vs Felts, sale and reference renewed.
May vs Ayers, demurrer overruled.
Biggins vs Haines, reference to Clerk and Master.
Rounds vs Gayoso Gas Co., injunction dissolved.
The decisions rendered by the Chancellor were:
May vs Ayers, demurrer overruled.
Memphis City railroad company vs Myers, demurrer overruled.
Court stands adjourned to Saturday next. Motions will be heard on that day. The roll of solicitors will be called, commencing at letter T. After calling the roll for motions, the following causes will be heard:

Evans vs Thompson.
Walker vs Trigg.
O'Donnell vs Cox.

The Clerk and Master will take an account today in the following cases:

Taylor vs Oakley et al.
Forsythe vs Willeford et al.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—*Geo. W. Waldran, Judge.* Motions for new trials will be heard to-day on the law side of the Court. We present the following extracts from the general charge of the Court to the Grand Jury:

"In reference to the practice of carrying concealed weapons, Judge Waldran charged the jury as follows:

"The law prohibiting the carrying of concealed weapons has been modified by an act of the General Assembly, entitled 'An Act for the Benefit of Discharged Union Soldiers,' passed June 6, 1865, which provides that all Union soldiers, who have served either on State or Federal soldiers, and who have been honorably discharged from the service, and all citizens who have always been loyal, shall be permitted to carry all necessary side arms for their personal protection and defense.

"I believe it to be the duty of this Court to charge you gentlemen that you should give no heed to this act unless you know of your own knowledge that the person who come within the provisions of this act carries concealed weapons for the express purpose of defending and protecting himself against a second or threatened assault of some particular individual unless he has reason to believe that he is in personal danger of bodily harm by threatened assaults of some particular individual or individuals. And, with this single exception, you will indict every person who carries concealed weapons. And if you indict any one who comes within the provisions of this act, let him show the fact upon his final trial, or bring the matter to the notice of the Court."

Judge Waldran, in charging the Grand Jury at present in session, called their attention particularly to the following city ordinances, page 167, section 20:

"That every officer or appointee of said Metropolitan Police shall, on the 1st day of each month, file with the Mayor of the city a full and true statement, under oath, showing the amounts in money or property that they have received, or which has passed through their hands as rewards for services for captures or seizures, or for any purpose whatever, or in any manner, or for any purpose whatever, from all persons during the preceding month, giving the names of those from whom received, for, and the dates when received, and account for the whole amount thereof before they shall be entitled to receive their salaries or compensation as such officer or appointee." Judge Waldran charged the Grand Jury as follows: "I am informed by the Mayor that the provisions of this section have not been complied with in a single instance. No blame ought to be attached to the rank and file of the police force for the non-compliance with this ordinance, when the appointees themselves are violators of this law. Unfortunately, there is no penalty affixed for the violation of this section. The code simply makes it a misdemeanor. It would seem a matter of delicacy for the opinion of one's neighbors, for public opinion, would prompt the Commissioners to comply with this act of the Legislature, and thereby remove from themselves that odium which attaches to evil. I verily believe that there is not a candid man within the jurisdiction of this court but believes that the Chief and the Financial Commissioners have been guilty of misappropriating the police funds, have been guilty of appropriating these funds for political and personal purposes; and there is not at this time any power under heaven or among men, but you three Grand Jurors, that can forced this matter, and bring it to a proper issue. Every good citizen demands that you shall do this. The financial interests of the city and state demand it. The code only requires it of you, and the Court, in charging you on the law, will proceed by the most direct route in search of truth. You will have brought before you the TAX COLLECTOR with the records of his office. You will examine the books of the several station houses, and the public records appertaining to the duties of the Police Commissioners. You will examine those who have said vouchers at the capture and return of stolen property. You will have brought before you the keepers and inmates of houses of ill-fame, the proprietors of all keno houses, faro banks and gambling houses—all those who have kept them within the last year, and will say to them, "unbosom yourselves" and this Court will protect them.

CRIMINAL COURT.—*Wm. Hunter, Judge.*—Meets to-day pursuant to adjournment. The docket will be called preparatory to the trial of forfeitures taken against all parties that have not appeared and renewed their bonds. Court will adjourn to-day to court in course the second Monday in June, 1868.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—*T. J. Latham, Register.*—An assignee was appointed in the following bankruptcy cases:

W. J. Rollins, E T Trotter, W S Barton, Kline & Wolf, Lindsey & Cartwright.

SHELBY CIRCUIT COURT.—*Geo. W. Reeves, Judge.* The attention of the Court was occupied on yesterday in the trial of The State vs. Tomas L. Hill, alias Thomas Summerhill, indicted for assault with intent to commit robbery. Counsel engaged were speaking up to a late hour last evening. A verdict will probrbly be rendered by the jury to day.

[OFFICIAL.]

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

[*Continued from Fourth Page.*]

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Memphis:

Petitioner, John Somervell, would respectfully state and show unto your honorable Board that the western one half of the alley running from Main to Shelby, between Union and Gayoso streets, was obstructed and built upon by John Caunavan so as to prevent the passage through the same of any carriage, cart, dray or any other vehicle, and claimed by Mr. Caunavan to be the private property of Thomas A. Cocke, one of the heirs of —— Haralson, deceased, under and through whom Caunavan claimed to hold as lessee.

Sometime in the month of June, 1866, petitioner was first spoken to on the subject of the legality of this obstruction upon property believed to belong to the city by Colonel W. B. Hunt, one of the owners of a large property adjacent to the said alley, and after a full examination of the subject expressed his opinion that the alley was a "public alley, and ought to be opened," but not being entirely satisfied to begin the laborious investigation for the sum offered by Colonel Hunt alone. Subsequently petitioner communicated the facts and information in his possession, from the examination he had already made, to General Smith P. Bankhead, the City Attorney, then alive, who, on behalf of the interests of the city, which he then represented, employed and engaged petitioner to make a full and thorough investigation and deraignment of the title of all the property on both the north and south sides contiguous to the alley, and to search up all proof, both of record or otherwise, that would bear on the subject, at the same time assuring petitioner that "he would see that the city paid him liberally for his time and trouble in the premises." (see Y 440)

Petitioner further states unto your honorable Board that he had, at this time, daily access in his office to the books of the late Henry Orme, a compendium of the records of Shelby county, invaluable as an index, and possessed great facility therefrom for the accurate investigation of disputed titles. Petitioner was thus enabled to go forward with the investigation, and did so, in good faith, (laboriously), until all information necessary for the interests of the city was obtained.

Petitioner has a note in the handwriting of General Bankhead to him, written sometime about the 23d July, 1866, which is herewith filed, which shows that the management of the business of the case (Mayor and Aldermen vs. John Caunavan,) was intrusted almost exclusively by him to petitioner, after the satisfactory development of proof gotten up by petitioner.

The case was twice continued by the defendant Caunavan, and a hearing of the same not obtained until the February term of the Law Court of Memphis, 1868, when the case was managed by petitioner, and the same decided in the city's favor. Not to mention the advantage to the public, which is very great, from the opening of this most important alley, the property of the alley cannot, in the belief of petitioner, fall very far short of some $50,000, including the whole alley.

For this work, and for service and attention to this case, petitioner has never as yet received from the city, or from any one else, one cent of compensation, except $100 from Colonel W. B. Hunt.

Premises considered, petitioner respectfully asks that his account of $600 be allowed him, in full or in part, as he makes it his charge to allowance for discount in funds of the city of Memphis and United States currency.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN SOMERVELL.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

By the same:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned petitioners, owners and occupants of property lying on the east side of Fourth street, do most respectfully represent to your honorable Board that they have been notified to lay down a brick sidewalk, on the east side of said street, as contemplated by a resolution passed by your honorable Board on the —— day of last month.

Your petitioners also most respectfully represent to your honorable Board that the plank sidewalk already laid down is good, and only requiring very trifling repairs to render the same perfectly satisfactory to pedestrians. Your petitioners, therefore, respectfully ask to be relieved from the necessity of laying down said brick sidewalk during the exhaustive of these trying times; and as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.

John Larkin,	T A Gronauer,
S G Shine,	L V Dixon,

Geo W L Crook, agt Reed & Wilson, agts for estate of L Stillman, estate of T S Callan,
B B Waddell.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By Alderman O'Donnell:

MEMPHIS, TENN., June 1, 1868.

Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: I most respectfully beg leave to state to your honorable body that I have put up a single frame house on New Madison street extended, between the Pigeon Roost road and Orleans street, and had said house erected according to the established grade laid down by J. H. McMahon, City Engineer. Since that time the grade has been changed, and is about three feet higher than the established grade given me in 1866, and is a very great injury to my building said house, and respectfully ask your honorable body either to regulate the grade in front of my house or allow me compensation for the loss sustained; and your petitioner will ever pray, etc., etc.

JOHN MCPARTLIN.

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, January 5, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

The petitioner, Roray Davis, would show unto your honorable Body, that on or about the 14th of May, 1868, he was having his horses taken to water; that in so doing he was passing along Clinton street; that near said Clinton street is a large hole about forty feet deep, and entirely unprotected and uncovered; while driving his horses, as aforesaid, to water, one of them, of the value of $125, fell in said hole and was killed. Petitioner states that all due care and diligence was used in so driving his horses, and he was damaged by said negligence of the city authorities, in not having said hole filled up, to the amount of $125; and he respectfully asks that your honorable body will pay the same. R. DAVIS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the 24 of June, 1862. J. S. BLACK, J. P.

Referred to Special Committee, consisting of Aldermen O'Donnell, Scott and Powers, with the City Attorney.

To pass from this track to the Memphis and Charleston Railroad will require 1334' of curvature, and the passage over 1,340 feet of private property, supposing, as is the first case, a 10° curve is employed.

3. From the Memphis and Charleston Railroad depot to the Memphis and Ohio Railroad depot, and thence to Center Landing, we pass through a perfect labyrynthine maze of curves, over 4,000 feet of private property; cross numerous streets, at each of which a flagman must be stationed.

4. The grading and bridging on the old Fort Pickering track will of itself be no inconsiderable item, but when you come to obstruct a road way from the Memphis and Ohio depot, from Memphis and Charleston to the Memphis and Ohio depot, many thousands of dollars must be expended for bridging and masonry.

This route is five miles longer than that hereinafter proposed, which is equivalent to $250,000, assuming the operative expenses and maintenance of way at the average of railroads. It also involves three miles more of superstructure to be added to first cost.

6. On this route the trains of one road must pass over the track of two other roads, thus subordinating their movements always to the schedules of the two roads passed over, causing, as we have experience and delay, and sometimes, perhaps, collisions of trains.

7. The alignment of this route is such, combined with the crossing of numerous streets, as to increase the length of the Mississippi and Tennessee and the Memphis and Ohio Railroads, in point of time, from twelve to fifteen miles—the very thing we are seeking to avoid. We may remark, also, the legitimate trade and travel of Memphis, now diverted from us by the Mobile and Ohio and the Mississippi Central roads. To render this objection more striking, think of a train freighted at Center Landing for Grenada, and turning tail on its destination, meanders its way through an intricate labyrinth of curves around house corners, till it reaches the Memphis and Charleston depot; thence running about two miles east, again turns tail, and runs two miles west, to a point one and a quarter miles from the place of departing, before it finally turns south. The proposition need only be stated to be rejected as impracticable.

The great desideratum of Memphis interest is a short, quick, easy connection of the Mississippi and Tennessee railroad, the Memphis and Ohio railroad and the Memphis and Charleston railroad, at a common freight and passenger depot near the river. By tunneling about 5,000 feet, an air line may be obtained from the Mississippi and Tennessee railroad depot to Center Landing not exceeding 6800 feet, or about one and one-fourth miles, which invades but little private property, is out of everybody's way, crosses but one or two streets, and leaves from the minimum amount of accidents incident to our face lines crossing numerous streets in a city. When all these advantages are taken into account, and contrasted with the heavy cost of roadway on the other line; the large sums required to pay for right of way; the three miles of extra superstructure; the $250,000 for equated distance and its preposterous alignment, it is confidently believed that the tunnel line will not only be the cheaper, but by long odds the better connection. We therefore ask that the plan of connection authorized by your honorable body be so modified, that a union freight and passenger depot for the three roads be established at Center Landing and such adjacent grounds as may be obtained for the purpose, to be connected with the Memphis and Ohio railroad by the old route through the new yard; with Mississippi and Tennessee railroad depot, either by tunnel or direct line, or by surface line along Tennessee street, crossing Beale, Union, Monroe, Court and Jefferson, along and under the bluff at grade, or over the grounds, as such elevation as will permit vehicles on those streets to pass under, as may be found upon thorough surveys to be most economical; and to be connected with the Memphis and Charleston railroad by tunnel down Washington street, by the Fort Pickering route and Mississippi and Tennessee railroad, or by Bayou Gayoso and Memphis and Ohio railroad, as the Memphis and Charleston Company may determine—the proportionate expense of such connections to be fixed by agreement among the companies.

We have been formally notified that legal proceedings will be instituted and prosecuted to prevent our laying a track on the Fort Pickering road, the ground being claimed as private property. Whether well founded or not, the attempt to use it would lead to tedious litigation and years of delay.

Very respectfully,
F. M. WHITE, Pres't.
M. & T. R. R.
A. WOODRUFF, Pres't.
M. & O. R. R. Co.

Referred to a special committee, composed of Aldermen Passmore, Moffet, McFarland, Wright and Powers, with the Mayor and City Engineer.

[CONCLUDED TO-MORROW.]

BUREAU OF THE HOME DEPARTMENT.—When cabinet officers are reporting the condition of their various bureaux, the ladies universally declare that a dressing-room to match must be supplied at Shallcross' perfumery. "FLOR DE MAYO," before they can recognize it as a legitimate domestic institution. Sold by all druggists.

DR. JAMES.—His appointed time in Memphis having terminated, he will in future be addressed at his home office, Nos. 8 and 10 Randolph street, Chicago, Illinois. Read his card in another column. 2t10

RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
THURSDAY, June 4.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Marble City.....St. Louis.....5 p.m.
W. A. Caldwell.....Arkansas river.....5 p.m.
Norman.....Louisville.....10 a.m.

WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather warm. The river here declined eighteen inches in the past twenty-four hours, and has declined altogether five feet and two inches. The Ohio is falling from Pittsburg to Cairo, with six feet in the canal. At St. Louis the river yesterday was falling, with nine feet in the channel out to Cairo, but the dispatches last night reported a big rise in the upper rivers. White and St. Francis rivers are still on the decline. The Arkansas is falling, with twenty-eight inches from Fort Smith to Little Rock, and five feet from Little Rock to the mouth.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer R. E. Lee, New Orleans.
" Bismarck, New Orleans.
" Indiana, New Orleans.
" Marble City, St. Louis.
" Norman, White river.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer R. E. Lee, Louisville.
" Indiana, Louisville.
" Silver Moon, Cincinnati.
" Bismarck, St. Louis.

BOATS IN PORT.

Marble City and Norman.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The wharf presented rather a dull appearance yesterday, with but one boat in port, the Silver Moon, which cleared last evening, leaving the wharf clear of tonnage.

In speaking of the dull times the *Cincinnati Gazette*, of Monday, says: "Business has been so dull the past week as scarcely to be worthy a paragraph. Judging by the amount of river transportation, Cincinnati is not selling goods to the former extent. Whether other cities are doing a better business is an open question. A steamwheel Memphis packet, popular in the trade, having three of the best days in the week to receive freight, not only for Memphis, but for points on the Ohio, lower Mississippi, Arkansas and White rivers, without competition, except for the lower Ohio and Arkansas, and announced in all the morning papers to leave positively on Saturday, failed to get away because she could not secure enough freight to justify her departure. The City of New Orleans steamer, partially advertised received scarcely any freight during the same three days, at rates not more than five cents above those to Memphis. St. Louis freights are scarce, but a steamer, which departed on Saturday for that point had a full load, secured in a week's time. The Nashville trade has remained about the same throughout the season. An Arkansas river packet, which has been lying at the wharf a week, has not yet secured half a trip, although she brought a number of orders with her."

Mr. Scott and family left on the Silver Moon last night for New York, where they will spend the summer.

The Indiana passed up for Louisville last night with a good trip.

The Marble City, Captain Conway, leaves for St. Louis to-day, at 5 p.m.

The staunch and light draught passenger steamer, W. A. Caldwell, in command of Captain Rube Haines, will be found at the wharf this morning, to receive for the Arkansas river and all points through to Fort Smith, and leaves at 5 p.m. She is the regular Thursday mail packet. Jack Chambers, a social gentleman, does the honors of the office.

The Belle Lee and Great Republic will be down to-morrow evening bound for New Orleans.

The Liberty No. 2 is the regular Saturday White river packet.

The Lucifer is due from New Orleans.

The Missouri is due from Cincinnati.

The steamwheeler Enterprise was sold by the United States Marshal at New Orleans on Monday, Captain H. L. Lee was the purchaser; price, $3,000.

In the Supreme Court of Cincinnati on Monday the case of King, Pesnock & King vs. Thomson Dean, S. J. Hale and others, was decided in favor of defendants. The claim made by plaintiffs was for the value of twenty bales cotton ($8,000) shipped by them in 1863, under the following circumstances: The Lady Franklin, owned by defendants, and the Sunny Side, were lying side by side at Memphis. Defendants shipped seventy-three bales cotton for which the Lady Franklin gave bill lading. Only fifty-three bales were delivered to plaintiffs at Cincinnati. It came out in testimony that twenty bales had been hauled to the Sunny Side by mistake, which boat was burned on that trip, and the cotton lost. The court held, that the mistake being mutual, neither party could claim advantage, and the discrepancy in the bill lading being satisfactorily explained in evidence, defendants were not liable.

At a meeting held at New Orleans on Monday pending election held at New Orleans on Monday pending election of officers of the Steamboat Captains' Union Benevolent Association, the following captains were chosen to serve the ensuing year: John W. Cannon, Jesse K. Bell, A. G. Goodin, John W. Tobin, Joseph Aiken, John J. Brown, R. W. Adams, George L. Kouns, Wm. T. Boardman, H. J. Brinker, John C. Dowty, Geo. H. Kirk and John H. Stevenson.

The following towboats left Pittsburg on the 1st for Cincinnati: Sampson with nine barges, Lioness with ten, Fearless same, A. Sale nine, Panther five, Tom Farron six—total 505,000 bushels; for Louisville: Ajax ten, Warner ten, Diamond ten, Fred Wilson eight, James Gilmore eight, L. Wilson seven, G. H. Neal five, Hercules five—total two barges, Parker two coal boats, four fuel boats—total, 738,000 bushels.

Captain A. McGowin, a Pittsburg commander, died suddenly at St. Louis on Monday.

The Cairo Belle, from Yazoo river, passed up yesterday.

The Bismarck, for St. Louis, passed up yesterday morning.

The merchants on Front street exhibited a willingness yesterday to subscribe towards making up a peney purse to place a packet in

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PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

[*Continued from Tuesday's proceedings.*]

ORDINANCE COMMITTEE.

Upon the following ordinance the report of the Committee was favorable, and the ordinance adopted by the following vote: Ayes—Powers, Glancy, Johnson, Joyce, Holst, O'Donnell, Renner, Passmore, Moffet and Ellis. Nays—Black, Brown, Cartwright, Cicalla and McDavitt.

Be it ordained, etc., That the ordinance heretofore passed fixing the rate of taxation for the forty-first corporate year at twenty cents of the hundred dollars for school purposes, be and the same is hereby amended so as to fix the rate at thirty cents on the hundred dollars, the other assessments to remain as established by said ordinance.

CITY HOSPITAL.

The following ordinance was reported favorably upon by the committee.

Alderman Passmore moved to lay the ordinance on the table, and his motion was lost by the following vote: Ayes—Glancy, Joyce, Brown, Cartwright, Holst, Renner and Passmore. Nays—Powers, Johnson, Black, O'Donnell, Cicalla, Moffet, McDavitt and Ellis.

The ordinance as follows was then passed on final reading:

An Ordinance for the Regulation of the Departments of the City Hospital.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the attending physician to visit the patients twice a day, or oftener, if necessary, and report monthly in relation to them to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

SEC. 2. The medical department of the hospital shall be under the control and supervision of an apothecary, to be elected by the Board of Aldermen, at a salary not exceeding fifty dollars a month, whose duty it will be to employ his time in compounding medicines that may be ordered by the physician for the hospital patients, and administer the same, or control its administration by proper nurses, as directed by said physician, and make such requisition for medicines as may be necessary, and keep an account of the patients received and discharged from the hospital.

SEC. 3. That a steward be employed by the Board of Aldermen, at a salary not exceeding fifty dollars a month, whose duty it shall be to take charge of all the hospital supplies of provisions, clothing, fuel, lights and everything belonging to the hospital, except medical supplies, and give out said supplies of clothing and provisions for the sick, etc., as may be necessary, and prepare the same for the sick as the physician may direct, and supervise their administration by proper nurses and make such requisitions as may be necessary for all supplies monthly, except medical, and at the end of every month report to the Board by a written report the amount and kind of all supplies on hand.

SEC. 4. That two pay wards be established in the hospital, one for males and one for females, who may receive board and medical attention for all diseases, except contagious, for the sum of one dollar and fifty cents per day. Said steward shall keep the register of said wards, and collect daily or weekly in advance from said patients, and make a report monthly of said wards to the Board, and pay over to the City Treasurer the amount of money received from patients occupying the same.

SEC. 5. Said steward and apothecary shall enter into bond to the city for the faithful performance of their respective duties.

SEC. 6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances coming in contact with any of the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed first reading.

Upon an ordinance in relation to provide taxes, the committee reported that the abatement of the tax was invested in the Metropolitan Police Commissioners, and asked that the committee be discharged from further consideration of the petition. Granted.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Upon the petition of Dr. Gilbert, asking an abatement of the assessment on his property, the report of the committee was adverse, and was approved by the Board.

Upon a petition asking the remission of the city tax on a lot upon which Turley Chapel stands, the report of the committee was adverse, and was approved by the Board.

Upon a statement due Mrs. Barnett of $590 10, the report of the committee was that it be allowed, and was approved by the Board.

FIRE COMMITTEE.

Upon the petitions of L. Schafner and John C. Powers, the report of the committee was favorable and was approved by the Board.

GAS COMMITTEE.

Upon resolutions in relation to the erection of lamp posts on Adams street, corner of Front and Jackson streets, and at corner of Lauderdale and Jessamine streets, the report of the committee was favorable, and was approved by the Board.

PAVING COMMITTEE.

The committee submitted the following report, and the same was adopted by the Board:

This committee to whom was referred the petition of Taylor, McBean & Co., Abe & A. J. McBean and Taylor, McBean & Baldwin to have transferred to T. E Brown & Co., a firm composed of T. E. Brown and J. Langdon, all of their contracts they have made with the city of Memphis, for grading and paving certain streets in the city, report that the transfer be made to the said T. E. Brown & Co. of those contracts first made by the city with Taylor, McBean & Co., and those transferred by the city from Forrest, Mitchell & Co. to Taylor, McBean & Baldwin, to embrace all the unfinished streets contained in those contracts and none others; as well as all the unsettled and unadjusted claims due said contractors by the property holders and city. Provided, that the said T. E. Brown & Co. will execute, at their own cost, bonds with satisfactory security in place of those given by said parties, or get the written consent of the securities to the first bond to stand pledged for the said T. E. Brown & Co., to carry out the contracts as made with the first parties.

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

The committee submitted the following report, and the same was adopted by the Board:

Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

Your Committee on Claims would report as follows, allowing the claims of Mrs. Mary C. Allen, $156 05; estate of John Hitchler, valuation reduced, $2,500; S. M. Nelson and others, $3,000. Rejecting those of W. A. Griffin, Americus Donohue, Mrs. Malone, Thomas Ryan, Patrick Turner, Patrick Lynch, J. Boyle & Co., Wright & Wilcox, and Coleman Boyd.

The claim of John Battiste is referred to the Mayor and City Attorney for settlement, and that of John Slattery referred for proof.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Alderman Passmore submitted the report of the Committee on Examination of City Officers' Accounts, and moved that it be received, and that the Mayor and Finance Committee be authorized to have the report published in pamphlet form.

Motion adopted.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Powers:

MEMPHIS, June 2, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

The undersigned respectfully asks permission to erect a frame stable on his lot in the Navy Yard, facing Front Row, as it endangers no property in the neighborhood.

Respectfully yours, most obediently,

JOHN L. EICHBERG.

Prayer granted.

By Alderman Glancy:

MEMPHIS, TENN., July 2, 1868.

MESSRS. POWERS AND GLANCY—*Gents:* The bearer, Mr. Sullivan, formerly drayman of this block, has a petition before your honorable body for watchman on the block, Exchange Building and hall, and wants you to appropriate the pecuniary sum of $25 per month. The few merchants in the block will contribute the balance.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS FOX,
J. F. GREEN.

Prayer granted.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, June 1, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned respectfully request that your honorable body have the intersection of Third and Saffarans streets, Chelsea, repaired at once. The street at this place is very narrow, and during heavy rains is entirely submerged. Some filling and a wooden culvert will not only be a great convenience to many tax payers, but also to the large amount of travel on this public thoroughfare.

Wm Karr,	Matthias Jones,
Henry Emite,	T B Edginton,
J A McCall,	Samuel T Morgan,
Homer M Barron,	N Fenner,
W B Fischer,	John J Armstrong,
M C Cody,	J D Danbury,
C Curtis,	E T Keel,
T Reinhard,	J B Griffing,
S Folwell,	R H Gibson,
John Gunn.	

Referred to Improvement Committee.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, June 2, 1868.

Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned respectfully ask that your honorable body allow him to repair a frame kitchen, situated on the corner of Third and Jackson streets, it being separate from any other building. If so allowed your humble petitioner will ever pray.

MR. BEADEN.

Prayer granted.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, April 15, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

We, the petitioners, would respectfully ask to have a lamp post placed at the corner of Promenade and Overton streets, as there is only one or two on the entire street, and they are above Jackson streets. Our portion of Promenade street is, therefore, dark and dangerous of a dark night. Your petitioners will ever pray.

George W Gilmore,	Louis Kahn,
Morris Friaberg,	N B Holland,
S Nelson,	M Holland,
H Kahn.	

Referred to Gas Committee.

By Alderman Johnson:

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

Your petitioners would respectfully represent that they are tax payers within the said city of Memphis, and own the following described property, to wit: One lot on the northwest corner of Fourth and Poplar streets, and one lot one hundred feet front, lying on the south side of Poplar street between Third and Fourth streets in said city.

The first named of said lots was appraised for taxation last year at five thousand dollars, and the second named lot was then appraised at one thousand six hundred dollars.

For the current year the first lot aforesaid is appraised at $5,750, the other at $17,400.

Your petitioners represent that during the interval between said assessments said property has greatly depreciated in value; that the rents of them have declined from fifty to seventy-five per cent., and that the present assessment is exorbitant, and the taxes assessed thereon are oppressive and greatly disproportioned to the real value and productiveness thereof.

Petitioners have applied to the assessors to have said assessments reduced too late, but without success, and they now pray your Honorable Board that the matter be inquired into, and a reasonable and just rate be fixed instead of the present extravagant and oppressive estimate, and petitioners will ever pray.

J. H. LOEWENSTINE & BRO.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

By Alderman Brown:

MEMPHIS, May, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis:

We, the undersigned property holders on South Court street, respectfully petition for grading said street, according to the contract on which other streets are being paved.

They state that the condition of the street is so bad as to be prejudical to both comfort and health, and the gutters having been removed and drainage destroyed, when Second and Main streets were paved, makes the street, in rainy weather, almost impassable.

Very respectfully,

JNO. A. DENIE,
JOHN M. LEA,
NEWTON FORD & CO.,
J. COLEMAN, Sup't W. U. Tel. Co.
P. C. BETHEEL.

Prayer granted.

The petition of O. R. Early, asking loss on city scrip, was referred to Committee on Claims.

By Alderman Cartwright:

MEMPHIS, June 2, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

Your petitioners, Black, Camron & Co., would respectfully represent to your honorable Board that during the months of November and December, 1867, they furnished to the corporation of the city of Memphis feed for the maintenance of stock belonging to the several fire companies and city stables, amounting in value to eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and eighty-two cents, ($876 82). Your petitioners were induced to enter into a contract to furnish these supplies, by a solemn promise from the City Council that cash, or its equivalent in scrip, should be paid them as soon as the supplies had been furnished. Your petitioners' bills were all duly approved by the Purveyor and placed to their credit on the city books by order of the Council. Your petitioners beg to call your earnest attention to the fact that their business has been and is embarrassed and retarded by so much of their resources lying idle, and pray that your honorable Board will devise some means for their immediate relief.

BLACK, CAMRON & CO.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

By Alderman Cartwright:

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

Your petitioner, H. Philips, of the city of Memphis, respectfully represents to your honorable body that he is the owner of the lot at the southwest corner of DeSoto and Monroe streets in said city, and the residence building thereon, No. 111 Monroe street, upon said lot, formerly owned and resided in by F. Feldman, that owing to the damage to said building by fire on the 29th of April, 1868, he has been compelled to repair the same, and among other repairs to rebuild the roof, using therefor, as far as possible, the materials composing the former one, most of the rafters and other material remaining in condition to be so used, and that said roof is completed. That since said completion he has received an order to stop said repairs and work. Your petitioner shows that the execution of said order or any proceedings against him for the making of said repairs would be a great hardship and injustice to him, for the following reasons, viz: 1st. There are no buildings adjoining or contiguous to the one herein above named, so as to make the same a source of danger within the meaning of the prohibition upon which said notice was based; and the said roof is only the replacement of the one which has been upon said building for many years. And as a further reason in favor of the petition, your petitioner shows that the said Feldman has at all times done great and valuable service to the Fire Department of the city by furnishing them water from his cistern on said premises, on all emergencies, when requested by them, and has granted said favors freely and with alacrity. Your petitioner therefore prays your honors to permit him to proceed with his work, and to allow the said construction to stand, and to protect him from molestation in the premises. And your petitioner will ever pray, etc.

H. PHILIPPS.

Prayer granted.

By Alderman Holst:

MEMPHIS, June 1, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen:

I respectfully ask permission to cover with a shingle roof the "City Mills," on Third street, near Beale. This mill is and will remain entirely disconnected from other buildings, being bounded on the west by Third street, on the south by an alley, on the east by the bayou, and on the north by a lot belonging to the same property.

Yours, very respectfully,

JOHN W. LEFTWICH.

Prayer granted.

By the same:

To the Honorable Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

Your petitioner, a citizen and resident of the Sixth Ward, would most respectfully ask the permission of your honorable body to put a new roof of shingles on his two story frame dwelling, on the east side of Mulberry, between Beale and Linden streets; and as in duty bound, etc.,

A. N. EDMONDS.

Prayer granted.

By the same:

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned, respectfully petition your honorable body to have placed at the corner of Wellington and Beale streets a public cistern, for the protection of a large amount of property in that vicinity; and thus save the frequent damage occasioned to private property by the entrance of the engines into private grounds. Several of your petitioners would respectfully represent that on several occasions they have suffered serious damage to fences, yards and cisterns from this cause, and are subject to similar injuries in the future, unless you will favorably consider and act upon our request.

Yours, respectfully and truly,

Wm R Hunt,	J J Murphy,
John C Parker,	F S Davis,
W Y Cirode,	J H Frank,
P G Bigley,	J C Ward,
George Mellersh,	S C Toof,
M Riordan,	H B Packer,
M Larkin,	J W Vaught,
J M Gregory,	H A Littleton,
Henry Wade.	

Refered to Fire Committee.

By the same:

MEMPHIS, June 1, 1868.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

Your petitioner, W. F. Altmann, would respectfully represent unto your honorable Board, that he is the owner of a house, lot and stable, situated on Fourth street, between Greenlaw and Saffarans streets, in the city of Memphis, and that he has complied with all the city ordinances relating to laying sidewalks, etc., near his premises; that on the north side of his lot there is a public alley owned by the city, and also one on the east side in the rear of his said lot.

Your petitioner would respectfully represent that about thirty-four feet from the rear of his lot in the north alley, there stood a tree measuring about eighteen inches in diameter which, with the exception of about two inches, was rotten and decayed; that said tree has been entirely unsafe, and should have been removed sometime since.

Your petitioner represents that he built a stable at a cost and expense of $125 about ten feet from said tree, upon his own property; that said tree stood upon the property of the city.

Your petitioner states that he was the owner of a fine rockaway reasonably worth three hundred and fifty dollars, which he kept in said stable.

Your petitioner shows that during a storm which occurred on the night of Thursday, May 25, 1868, the said unsafe, decayed and rotten tree was blown down violently upon his said stable, destroying the same, and also his said rockaway contained therein, to your petitioner's great damage, to-wit: upon said stable the sum of $100, and upon said rockaway the sum of $250.

Wherefore, your petitioner respectfully prays that your honorable Board will allow him the sum of $350, the amount of actual damage sustained by him; or in case your honorable Board should fail to see wherein that amount of damage was sustained, your petitioner prays that a committee be appointed to estimate the damage to this petitioner; and as in duty bound, will ever pray, etc.

W. F. ALTMANN.

Witness: JNO. W. HART.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

To the Honorable Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

Your petitioner, John A. Nipgen, would respectfully represent that there is due him from the city of Memphis two hundred and ninety-six dollars and thirty-five cents, ($296 35), for drugs and medicines sold to said city of Memphis for the use of the city hospital, during the year 186—; that said drugs and medicines were sold as aforesaid at cash prices, and were worth the sum actually charged for the same, and that in selling the same the understanding and agreement was that they were to be paid for in cash, and not in scrip, or any other depreciated evidences of indebtedness. Petitioner here shows to your honorable Board a certified statement of the balance due him, taken from the ledger account in the Controller's office of said city.

Petioner says the same has long been due and unpaid.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that the same may be ordered to be paid in cash, with the reasonable and proper interest thereon; and as in duty bound petitioner will ever pray.

JOHN A. NIPGEN.

Referred to Committee on Claims.

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OFFICIAL.

Ordinance.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained, etc., That hereafter when any repairs are needed upon any of the streets in the city the Street Commissioner, under direction of the Mayor, shall notify thirty days in advance the property owner or owners upon any of said streets to be worked or repaired, to have the same done within said time, upon plans submitted by the Street Commissioner; [illegible] that the Street Commissioner [illegible] property owners, [illegible] employ laborers, at not more than [illegible] and have the same done at the expense of said property owners and that the Street Commissioner be directed to use the public carts and tools of the city upon the said work.

SEC. 2. The cost of said work or repairing, shall be charged against said property owners, in proportion to the amount of property owned by them, and that said amounts shall be collected by the Street Commissioner from said owners, and by him paid to said laborers.

SEC. 3. Upon payments of said assessments by the property owners, the Street Commissioner shall give said parties a receipt for the same, which receipt shall be taken by the Tax Collector in payment of any taxes due the city.

SEC. 4. Upon refusal of any of said property owners to pay said assessment so made, suit shall be brought by the City Attorney, in any court having jurisdiction of the same.

Passed first and final reading by a suspension of the rules.

Memphis, May 11th, 1868—Approved.

Attest: E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. my12

Ordinance.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

SECTION 1. That the pond between Main and Shelby streets on the east and west, and Beale and Linden streets on the north and south, is a nuisance; and that the property owners covering the ground, embraced in the above limits, be required at their own expense to drain said pond within the next sixty days.

SEC. 2. Should said property owners fail to perform said drainage within the time specified, the Engineer shall make out plans for the drainage of the same, which work shall be let out by contract to the lowest bidder, and the price of the same shall be charged against said property, according to the value of the same, upon the tax books. said assessments, for payment by said property owners, shall be placed in the hands of the contractor for payment, and upon the refusal or failure of any to pay the same, suits shall be brought for said assessments.

Memphis, May 11, 1868—Approved.

Attest: E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. my12

Tax Ordinance.

CITY TAX.

BE it ordained, etc., That the City Tax on all property assessed for the Forty first Corporate Year, shall be and is hereby made as follows: One [illegible] and ten cents on every one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in administering the affairs of the city; fifty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of paying the interest on the past due indebtedness of the city; and twenty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of defraying the expense necessarily incurred in carrying on the City Schools.

Approved April 13, 1868.

E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. april4

Sanitary Ordinance.

WHEREAS, it is important to prevent the visitation of epidemic diseases to the city, and as the accumulation of filth of any kind in and around the premises of the inhabitants of the city is likely to endanger the health of the community; therefore,

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

SECTION 1. That no occupant of any building or premises in the city of Memphis shall permit the accumulation of any filth, garbage, or noxious substances upon said premises, but shall have the same removed at their expense.

SEC. 2. Said occupants shall not throw, or put into any street, public or private alley, any filth, garbage, or other noxious substances, or permit the same to flow from their premises.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Sanitary Police, or any other member of the Police Force, to see that the above sections, one and two, are not violated; and if any filth, garbage, or other noxious substance is found in and around said premises, or near the same, in any street or alley, said occupant shall be required to remove the same within twenty-four hours; and in default thereof, said occupant shall be fined five dollars for each and every day said filth is permitted so to remain.

SEC. 4. The violation of the first and second section of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty five dollars.

Passed first and final reading by a suspension of the rules.

Approved April 13, 1868.

E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. april4

Ordinance.

BE it ordained, etc., That the Sidewalk on each side of Shelby street, from Beale to South streets, be widened, so that hereafter said sidewalks shall be twelve feet; said widening to be done by the property owners, without cost to the city.

Passed first and final reading, by a suspension of the rules.

Approved April 13, 1868.

E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. april4

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THE CELEBRATED RALEIGH MINERAL SPRINGS, situated on the confines of Raleigh, late County Seat of Shelby county, Tennessee, nine miles northeast of Memphis, and two miles from Wells' Station, on the Memphis and Louisville Railroad. These Springs are six in number, of various mineral and medicinal qualities, and are visited every Summer by thousands of seekers of health and pleasure, from all quarters of the country. They are within a few steps of the village of Raleigh, in a beautiful valley, and also within a few hundred feet of Wolf river, which winds around the base of the eminence on which the village of Raleigh is situated, and empties into the "Father of Waters" at Memphis. Numerous remarkable cures of various diseases have been experienced by sojourners at this health-inspiring retreat, and the present proprietor, Colonel J. M. COLEMAN, can produce hundreds of certificates of cures in cases which had been entirely given over medical skill. The ground surrounding the Springs, and in fact the entire village of Raleigh, rises to an eminence of pure air, and is as remarkable for its healthfulness as beauty of location. The Springs are in fine order, never failing, and are designated as follows:

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Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a trust deed, [illegible] executed by Jacob J. Fore & Co., on the [illegible] day of April, 18[illegible], which deed is of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, Tennessee, in record book [illegible], part [illegible], pages [illegible], to secure the payment of a certain note therein set forth and described, and which said note being still due and unpaid; now, therefore, by virtue of the power in me vested by said trust deed, I will,

On Monday, 15th day of June,

Proceed to sell, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., at public auction on the premises, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, a certain tract of land situate, lying and being in county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, block [illegible], lot 10, on the north west corner of Shelby and [illegible] streets, a two story framed building, 40 by 60 feet. Number of lot same as in county map.

Terms cash. Title believed to be good, but I convey only as trustee. The equity of redemption waived.

JOHN SOMERVELL, Trustee.

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Trustee's Sale.

VALUABLE SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust made to me on the 20th day of February, 1867, by Samuel E. Gardiner, and which is duly registered in the Register's office for Shelby county, Tennessee, in record book 60, part 2, pages 17, 18 and 19, and to which reference is here made, and in pursuance of the terms thereof, I will,

On Thursday, the 4th day of June, 1868,

Proceed to sell, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following real estate, described in said trust deed as follows: A certain lot or parcel of land being in the county of Shelby, State of Tennessee, about three and a half miles north-east of the city of Memphis, and being lot 5 of the subdivision of land between the legatees of Constantine Paine, in the Law Court of Memphis, at the June term, 18[illegible], thereof, in the case of Joseph H. Paine vs. Mary Josephine Moore and others, which said lot No. 5 is bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake which stands on the northeast corner of lot 4, thence south 17 chains and 67 links to a stake on the south line of an avenue (33 links wide); thence east with the south line of said avenue 7 chains and 65 links to a stake which stands in the center of an avenue or public road; thence north with the center of said road 18 chains to a stake which stands 33 links east of a red bud tree marked H; thence west 7 chains and 65 links to the beginning, containing 13 75-100 acres. The sale will be made to satisfy a certain promissory note described in the above-mentioned deed of trust. Equity of redemption is waived. The title to said property is believed to be undisputed, but I will only convey as trustee.

D. W. WILLIAMSON, Trustee.

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No. 2579—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Insolvent and Creditor's Notice—John Mallum, Administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, vs. John H. Holt and wife et al.

IN this cause the insolvency of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, has been suggested, the creditors thereof made parties defendant to this suit, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and an order entered directing publication to be made; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee on or before the first Monday in June, 1868, and file and establish their claims against said estate, or the same will be forever barred and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for three months in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

By H. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.

HALLUM, CHALMERS & TURLEY, Solicitors for Complainant.

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Notice to Creditors.

No. 2281—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may receive their pro rata share of the assets of said Bank for distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal, Avalanche and Post, until the further orders of this Court.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

By BENJ. COLMAN, Deputy C. & M.

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Creditor's Notice.

No. 2468—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis—W. N. Wilkerson et al., vs. the Franklin Insurance Banking Company et al.

IN this cause, upon motion and in conformity to the prayer of the bill, it is ordered by the Court that all persons claiming to be creditors or having any character of demands against the "Franklin Insurance and Banking Company of Memphis, shall immediately come into this Court and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper evidence of the same, that they may severally recover their ratable share of the assets of said Company, to be distributed in this cause; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Daily Appeal and Avalanche for three (3) months from this date. March 11, 1868.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

By H. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.

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MEMPHIS, May 12, 1868. my13

By M. C

BUSINES